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DATE	STEAMERS	TONS.
1st October	"MANDALA" †	8,246
2nd "	"DELTA"	8,087
9th "	"MOREA"	10,800
16th "	"KHIVA" *	9,617
23rd "	"KARMALA"	8,083
30th "	"NALDERA"	15,825
6th November	"SYRIA"	6,663
early "	"NEURALIA" †	9,082
13th "	"KASHMIR"	8,841
20th "	"KAISAR-I-HIND"	11,430
27th "	"DONGOLA"	8,056
4th December	"NARKUNDA"	16,119
11th "	"MALWA"	10,883
18th "	"KALYAN"	8,087
25th "	"MANTUA"	10,885

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Date about	Steamers	
25th Sept.	Linga	Karachi via Kath. Ports
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29th "	Karagola	East and South Africa

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Steamer.	Commander	Tons.	Arrival.	Departure.
Taian Maru	Y. Kawashima.	3138	7th Oct.	18th Oct.
Yetorofu Maru	B. Takiguchi.	4141	28th Oct.	7th Nov
*Sanuki Maru	M. Tomita.	5346	28th Oct.	1st Nov

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Steamer.	Captain.	Arrival.	Departure.
Suez Maru	S. Kondo	30th Sept.	4th Oct.
Baron Maru	G. Ishikawa	30th Sept.	6th Oct.
Indus Maru	R. Yano	9th Oct.	15th Oct.

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Reserve Fund	£220,000
Reserve Liability of Shareholders	£1,197,429

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	Rs.
Capital Subscribed	60,00,000
Capital Paid-up	20,00,000
Reserve Fund	14,00,000

CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS.
INTEREST allowed on daily balance from Rs. 300 to Rs. 1,00,000 at the rate of 2¼ per cent. per annum and on sums over Rs. 1,00,00 by special arrangement. No interest which does not come to Rs. 3 per year will be allowed.
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	Rs.
Subscribed Capital	£1,800,000
Paid-up Capital	£1,050,000
Reserve Liability of Shareholders	£750,000
Reserve Fund	£1,050,000

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	Rs.
CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED	2,50,00,000
CAPITAL PAID-UP	1,00,00,000
RESERVE FUND	53,00,000

CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS.
Interest is allowed on daily balance from Rs. 500 to Rs. 1,00,000 AT THE RATE OF 2½ PER CENT. PER ANNUM THROUGH OUT THE YEAR. On sums exceeding Rs. 1,00,000, interest is allowed by special arrangement No interest will be allowed which does not amount to Rs. 3 per half year.
FIXED DEPOSITS.
Deposits are received fixed for one year or for shorter periods at the rates of interest which can be ascertained on application.
SAVINGS BANK accounts opened favourable terms—Rules on application.
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Manager.

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THE BANK OF TAIWAN, LTD.
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SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL	Yen 60,000,000
PAID-UP CAPITAL	Yen 37,500,000
RESERVE FUND	Yen 7,780,000

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SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL	Yen 70,000,000
PAID-UP CAPITAL	Yen 40,000,000
RESERVE FUND	Yen 6,500,000

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Hakata	London	Shanghai
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Hiroshima	Nagoya	Tokyo
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CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and interest allowed half yearly on daily balance of Rs. 1,000 to Rs. 1,00,000 at 2 per cent. annum provided the sum accrued amounts Rs. 5.
FIXED DEPOSITS received for 12 month and for shorter periods on terms which may be ascertained on application.
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Post Box No. 889.

THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LIMITED.
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ESTABLISHED 1886.

Subscribed Capital	Yen 100,000,000
Paid-up Capital	Yen 74,000,000
Reserve Fund	Yen 44,000,000

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FIXED DEPOSITS are received for one year or shorter period on terms which may be ascertained on application.
Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
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Manager.
Post Box No. 194.
Hornby Road, Bombay.

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ESTABLISHED 15TH MAY, 1915.

	Rs. a. p.
Capital authorised	50,00,000 0 0
Capital Issued	31,00,000 0 0
Capital Subscribed	31,00,000 0 0
Capital Paid-up	16,65,017-8-2
Reserve Fund	15,69,858 4 5

Dividend of the rate of 12 per cent. per num has been declared, by the Bank in paid-up capital.
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Gujranwalla	Lyallpur	Sialkot
Gojra	Ludhiana	Srinagar
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Hoshiarpur		

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FIXED DEPOSITS are received for months and shorter periods at rates of interest which can be ascertained on application.
SAVINGS BANK DEPOSIT.—Sums as low as Rs. 5 received and interest allowed at 2 per cent per annum.
LOANS, OVERDRAFTS and CASH CREDITS.—The Bank grants accommodation terms to be arranged against approved security.
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For other particulars and rules of business apply to:
RUPCHAND KAPUR,
Manager.

BANKING.

THE BANK OF MORVI LIMITED.
(REGISTERED IN BOMBAY.

	Rs.
AUTHORISED CAPITAL	1,00,00,000
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL	40,00,000
CALLED-UP CAPITAL	60,00,000
PAID-UP ON 18-9-20	59,68,715

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FIXED DEPOSITS: received for one year and for shorter periods at rates to be ascertained on application.
SAVINGS BANKS:—Interest allowed at per cent per annum. Rules on application.
LOANS AND CASH CREDITS are granted on approved securities at favourable rates.
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A. B. OLIPHANT.
Ag. Manager.

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(Head Office—APOLLO STREET, FORT. Branch:—MUMBADEVI (in the City).

	Rs.
AUTHORIZED & ISSUED CAPITAL	10,00,000
PAID-UP CAPITAL	10,00,000
RESERVE FUND	97,407
CONTINGENCY FUND	1,15,706

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SAVINGS BANK DEPOSITS—Interest allowed at 4½ per cent. per annum.
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LOANS, CASH CREDITS AND OVERDRAFTS given on approved securities.
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STERLING RESERVE FUND	£1,200,000
SILVER RESERVE FUND	$23,000,000
RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS	$15,000,000

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AUTHORISED CAPITAL	Rs. 12,00,00,000
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL	Rs. 7,50,79,150/
PAID-UP CAPITAL	Rs. 1,81,19,821/8
RESERVE FUND	Rs. 4,09,000/

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WANTED—A TYPIST, for a Mercantile firm, with a knowledge of Gujrati accounts and office routine work, and with commercial experience. Apply with testimonials stating salary required to Box No. 1193, Advt. Dept., "Bombay Chronicle." 5309

WANTED—FEW CLERKS with Office experience and also good Motor Mechanics, Fitters, Turners, and apprentices. Apply sharp to THE WESTERN INDIA TRANSPORT Co., Mangalore Street, Ballard Pier, Bombay. 5210

WANTED URGENTLY—FIRST CLASS ENGINEER, expert and experieneed of "Dizel Engineer" for up-country gin and press. See personally DAULATRAM KUNDANMAL, Kalbadevi. 5292

B. S. RAILWAY—Medical Department—Wanted an experienced and English knowing COMPOUNDER. Salary Rs. 30 per month, including high price allowance, with free quarters. Apply at once, stating age, previous experience etc. to the Undersigned. S. J. ALVAREZ, Chief Medical Officer, B. S. Railway, Bhavnagar Para. 5298

MASINA HOSPITAL, Bombay—Vacancies for (1) ASSISTANT MATRON, fully qualified with three years' training and Midwifery Diploma (English qualification preferred), salary Rs. 150—25—200 per mensem all found. (2) Six STAFF NURSES, fully qualified with three years' training IN ENGLISH and a Midwifery Diploma, salary Rs. 80—10—100 per mensem all found. Apply in own handwriting with copies of certificates and testimonials to the PRINCIPAL MEDICAL OFFICER, Masina Hospital (Post Mazagon), Bombay. 5340

SITUATION WANTED

AN experienced SURGEON of known Reputation will like to accompany a rich invalid to America for treatment. Correspondence for terms invited. Apply Box No. 1194, Advt. Dept. "Bombay Chronicle." 5318

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WANTED.

WANTED—100 tons new Tailor white cotton cloth cuttings (preferably very small pieces). Send samples immediately quoting lowest price per hundredweight or to Paper Mills, Lucknow. 5002

WANTED—Ambitious YOUNG MEN to learn rapid business methods by Correspondence and Residential Courses. Fee Rs. 60 only. Time three months. Apply to PRINCIPAL, Indian Academy of Commerce, Rajkot. 5299

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—S. H. STONE CRUSHER, 16 by 9, steam engine 16 by 32, complete. Apply P. J. MISTRY, Arab Lane, Grant Road. 5225

FOR SALE—One "CHANDLER" CAR, seven seater very slightly used, at moderate price. Apply to Box No. 1169, Advt. Dept., "Bombay Chronicle." 5188

FOR SALE—Latest type Simon HOT WATER DRYER. Capacity 4 quarters. Complete with accessories. Apply to the MANAGER, Wallace Flour Mill Co., Anjirwadi, Mazagaum. 5310

FOR SALE—A piece of LAND, about 7500 square yards. Parel Road, Byculla. Good frontage on Tram Line, Apply Box No. 1174, Advt. Dept., "Bombay Chronicle." 5227

SNOW LEOPARD FOX, LYNX, CAT, SKINS, FUR RUGS, STOLE AND MUFFS etc., and all other Kashmir products Mrs. KOULA AGENCY, Srinagar, Kashmir. 4735

FOR CAPITALISTS ONLY.—A well established ELECTRIC Co. to be sold complete with best situated furnished office, goods and name. Write, not through post to Box No. 1197, Advt. Dept., "Bombay Chronicle." 5333

FOR SALE—VAUXHALL, 4 Cylinder, 25 Horse-power CAR in good running order. Price Rs. 12,000. Apply Mr JINNAH, Mount Pleasant Road, or High Court, Building. 4983

HUBBUCK'S WHITE ZINC AND RED LEAD PAINT, PORTLAND "HAND" BRAND CEMENT PRIMUS STOVES, etc. just arrived. For particulars and prices please apply to KODAL AGENCY, 371, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay. 5114

FOR SALE—Secondhand TENNIS BALLS best makes. Used for three day only. Rs. 5/8/0 per doz. Reduction made in large orders. Apply Box No. 1186, Advt. Dept., "Bombay Chronicle." 5265

FOR SALE—The machinery of a Cummins Patent Cotton Baling Press with its Engine and Bed Pumps, in good working order situated at Sinhind railway station. For particulars and price apply to The MANAGING AGENT, Punjab Cotton Press Co., Ltd., Bharat Buildings, Lahore. 5136

ONE Compound jet condensing TANDEM ROPE DRIVING ENGINE, 350 I. H. P. 125 lbs. steam pressure Good Condition. Apply personally to SHETH NAGINLAL MAGANLAL, Viramgam. 4896

FOR SALE—One STUDEBAKER CAR E. M. F. 7-seater, 4-cylinder 25 H.P. in perfect running order with spare parts extra tube, tyre and stepney, as good as new. Price Rs. 4,500 or offer. S. C. MUKERJI, Vakil Saugor, C.P. 5294

FOR SALE—150 I. H.P. Drop Valve Gearing Compound Engines, new direct connected Hydraulic Pump bed, Lancashire Boilers, Platt Bros. and Double Roller gins, self supported Chimneys economisers, Donkey and Worthington Pumps, Villow Machines, and other second hand machinery. Apply: ENGINEER and Co., Pydhownie, Bombay. 5328

TYPEWRITERS FOR SALE.—

	Rs.
ost 10, thoroughly renovated	90
Remington 8, Rs. 90, 7, 2 Cols., Fine	110
Oliver 3, Rs. 100, 110, Brief	110
National Portable, No. 3 with Case	135
.n, Visible, B. Spacer, as new	150
American Rebuilt Oliver 5, Rs. 160, 9	200
Remington 10, Rs. 200, 11, Dec. Tabs.	210
Yost 20, Brief, Leather Case, Fine	240
Underwood 5, used few days, Elite Type	290
nderwood 3, Brief, 2 Cols., B. Spacer	200
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Typewriter Experts,
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Remington No. 10 Flscap size	210
Remington No. 10 Brief Size	225
Remington No. 8 Fine	115
Oliver No. 9 flscap size	200
Oliver No. 5 flscap size	165
Oliver No. 5 Brief Size	175
Oliver No. 5 Brief Size	100
Oliver No. 3 Flscap Size	100
Fox Standard No. 24, two-clr.	140
Empire No. 2 B. Space like new	150
Empire No. 1 Flscap Size	110
Self-folding 7 lbs. Fox Portable New	200

We are Sole Agents for the famous light-running Fox Standard and the 7 lbs., Fox Portable Typewriters. For full details and Demonstration write or phone us. THE GLOBE TYPEWRITING CO., 36, Churchgate Street Fort, Bombay, Telephone No. 4869, Telegrams "Writertype."

TO BE LET.

TO be sublet large unfurnished flat, drawing, dining, 4 bed, 3 bath rooms. Apply Box No. 1196, Advt., Dept., "Bombay Chronicle." 5329

MATHERAN—For hire, summer seat, fully furnished. For particulars, apply COOPER & Co., 373, Abdul Rehman Street Bombay 3. 5219

TO LET—A BUNGALOW with Compound and garrage near the Mahalaxmi Temple. Suitable for Hindus. Ground Floor and two Storeys. Apply at the SHILOTRI BANK, LTD., Tamarind Lane, Fort, Bombay. 5271

TO LET—Large GODOWNS in Mazagaldas Market. Apply to SECRETARY, the BOMBAY CLOTH MARKET CO., LD., No. 50/52, Shaik Memon Street, Bombay. 5301

PUBLIC NOTICES

THE BOMBAY MERCHANTS' BANK, LTD.

NOTICE.

ON account of Postal Strike the Shareholders of The Bombay Merchants' Bank, Ltd., are requested to take delivery of the Dividend Warrants from the Bank on production of their Share Certificates.

KRISHNADAS GOVERDHANDAS MADIWALA,
Managing Director.

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NOTICE.

FOR SALE—1. D.C. shunt wound DYNAMO, of 110 volts 9 to 12 Amperes of Bombay Electric Company with shunt regulator slide rails and pulley, useful for charging Motor Car accumulator or would give 25 lights of 60 C.P. each, 3 ceiling fans or 50 lights of 8 C.P. each with battery charging board complete. Can be seen working up to 15th October 1920. Offer Rs 1,000 or nearest. Apply to the LOCO and CARR: SUPERINTENDENT, Bhavnagar State Railway, Bhavnagar Para. 5230

WANTED.

BY the Poona City Municipality, a qualified VETERINARY INSPECTOR, who is acquainted with the supervision of cattle stables and other similar works. He must produce a certificate regarding his honesty and good character from a respectable person. Applications stating pay required with testimonials should be sent to the undersigned before the 15th October, 1920.

KERSHAW D. KHAMBATTA,
Health Officer,
Poona City Municipality.

Health Office:
Poona City, 28th Sept. 1920. 5267

CANADA TO INDIA AND JAVA PORTS.

A direct monthly service from Canada to India and Java has been inaugurated by Messrs. Ellerman, and Bucknall Steamship Co. Ltd. Steamers will sail from Montreal to Port Said, Port Sudan, Aden, Bombay, Colombo, Singapore, Batavia and other Java ports, as inducement offers.

Cargo will also be taken by transhipment for Karachi, Madras and Calcutta.

Rate of eight well be about the same as it charged from New York.

The first steamer of the Line s.s. "Katuna" is expected ready to load in Montreal about July 15th 1920. For further information apply cent per annum.

Messrs. W. & A. GRAHAM & CO.,
Parsi Bazaar Street, Bombay.

Bombay, 23rd June. 1920. 1902

THE MORARJEE GOCULDAS SPG. & WVG. CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FORTY-NINTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Company's Office in Ismail Buildings, Hornby Road, Fort, on THURSDAY, the 7th day of October, 1920, at 3-30 p.m. (S. T.) for the transaction of the following business:—

1. To receive the Directors' Report and the Audited statements of accounts for the year ending 30th June, 1920.
2. To declare a dividend.
3. To confirm the appointment of Sir Vithaldas D. Thackersey, Kt., as Director of the Company.
4. To elect Directors in the place of those who retire by rotation, but who are eligible for re-election.
5. To appoint Auditors for the ensuing year and to fix their remuneration.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from Friday, the 24th September to Thursday, the 7th October, 1920, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
MORARJEE GOCULDAS & Co.,
Secretaries, Treasurers & Agents.

Ismail Buildings,
Hornby Road, Fort,
Bombay, 18th Sept. 1920. 4956

THE TATA INDUSTRIAL BANK, LIMITED.

SECOND CALL OF RUPEES SEVEN, ANNAS EIGHT PER SHARE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at Meeting of the Directors held on the 15th day of July 1920 a Call of Rupees annas 8 per share was made and it was determined that such Call should be paid the 1st day of November 1920 at the Head Office of the Bank, Wallace Street, Fort, Bombay, or at any of the following Branches:—

Sub-branches:—Shroff Bazaar (Sha Memon Street) Share Bazaar (Apollo Street).
CALCUTTA: (2, Dalhousie Square).
Sub-branch:—Bara Bazaar.
CAWNPORE,.
Sub-branch:—Chandausi.
HYDERABAD, (Deccan).
LUCKNOW.
Sub-branch:—Hathras.
MADRAS, (9, Popham's Broadway).
RANGOON

and that interest at the rate of nine centum per annum will be charged on amounts not paid on the due date from such date date of payment. The payments in respect of this Call will only be accepted if the amount covers the Call due on all the Shares of which members are registered as holders on the 12th day of September 1920 and upon production of the Notice which will be sent to all such shareholders through the post. Any shareholder not having received this Notice by the 15th day of October 1920 should immediately communicate with the Tata Industrial Bank Limited, Share Transfer Department, Wallace Street, Fort, Bombay, when a duplicate will be issued.

All remittances must be made in Government Currency Notes, or by cheques or Bankers' drafts payable in Bombay free of charge. Payments by Money Order cannot be accepted and will be returned.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 13th day of September to the 30th day of September 1920 both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,
R. H. PARKER,
Secretary.

13th July, 1920 5002

PUBLIC NOTICES.

NOTICE.

MAILS ex. S. S. "Karoa" from Africa for the centres of Mandvi, Kalbadevi and Umerkhadi, will be delivered at the rooms of the "British Indian Colonial Merchants' Association, Khoja Moholla, Mandvi, from Wednesday (to-day, afternoon till Friday, the 8th instant. 5339

FOR SALE.

QUITH NEW ANGLES 2in. by 2in. by 3/2in. English about 12,204 lineal feet. 40 HANK REELS 3½in. Gauge English in working order. For price and particulars please write to:—

SHRI SAYAJI MILLS CO., LTD.,
Post Box No. 29. Baroda.

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THE KILACHAND MILLS, LTD.

THE public are hereby informed that the TRANSFER BOOKS of the above Company will be OPENED for registration of transfers on and after the 23rd October 1920.

KILACHAND DEVCHAND & CO.,
Agents.

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IMPORTANT WARNING TO EMPLOYERS

THE undermentioned Ledger Clerks have been dismissed from the service of this Bank for striking work during business hours without previous notice:—

1. Shyamlal U. Bulsari.
2. Mohanlal M. Bhootala.
3. Harsukhlal Rupram Majmudar.

BANK OF MORVI, LTD.

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BOMBAY MUNICIPALITY.

TENDERS for WORKS in the CONSTRUCTION of a STORM-WATER DRAIN in Tulsi Pipe Road from the Mahim Creek to 2,100 feet southwards will be received up to 1 p.m. (B.T.) on the 15th day of October, 1920.

Tenders should be addressed to the Municipal Commisioner and should be delivered at the office of the Chief Accountant.

Forms of contract specification, etc., will be issued to any one deputed to receive them by the Deputy Engineer, Drainage, who will, on application, give any further information that may be required.

T. K. RODDAN,
Ag. Executive Engineer,
Bombay Municipality.

Executive Engineer's Office,
Bombay, 5th Oct. 1920. 5325

NOTICE.

INTENDING CANDIDATES for the reformed Council and Legislative Assembly should be careful not to miss the time and date for the submission of their nomination papers. These must reach the Returning Officers on or before noon on 12th October. It is better to be too early than too late, for lateness will entail rejection. And the nomination forms must be properly filled up, and subscribed by two electors of the constituency. Nomination forms can be obtained from the Collector. As candidates will object if possible to the nomination papers of their rivals, it is necessary to be careful. Another point which should not be forgotten is that every candidate must make in writing and sign a declaration appointing either himself or some other person to be his election agent. This, too, must be done, on or before the date on which the candidate is nominated: in fact this declaration and the nomination paper should be submitted together and before the 12th October. Declaration forms can be had from all Collectors. Candidates should of course have copies of the Bombay Electoral Rules and Regulations and should study them. They can be obtained from the Government Central Press. All these warnings might be thought superfluous. But persons who intended to enter the Councils have actually failed to ascertain whether their names are on the Electoral Roll or not, and this extraordinary omission has resulted in their disqualification This is why it has been thought desirable to issue the present warning. 5335.

THE MADHORAO SCINDIA MILLS, LIMITED.

FOR SALE.—Two (2) mules, Asa Lees 1889 804 spindles Guage 1 3/8". Front Roller 7/8" Middle Roller 3/4", Back Roller 7/8". Can be seen working at the Madhora Scindia Mills, Lower Parel.

For further particulars, apply to the AGENTS, Canada Building, Hornby Road, Fort. 5255

BANK OF BOMBAY.

ADVANCES AGAINST GOVERNMENT OF BOMBAY 6½ DEVELOPMENT LOAN.

THE BANK is prepared to give advances to approved constituents who wish to subscribe to the above on the following terms until further notice:—

(1) The Bank will advance 95 per cent. of the amount applied for, the Borrower paying the remaining 5 per cent at the time application is made.

(2) The Borrower must undertake to repay the advance by monthly instalments of not less than 4 per cent. Thus if a Borrower applies for Rs. 10,000 of Bonds he will require to make an initial payment of Rs. 500 and regular monthly payments of Rs. 400 for 23 months and payment of Rs. 300 on the 24th month.

(3) The rate of interest to be charged on the advance will be 6 per cent.

(4) Borrowers are at full liberty to repay advances more rapidly than is indicated above.

(5) In the event of a Borrower failing to pay any monthly instalment the Bank reserves to itself the right to demand payment of the advance and on failure by the Borrower to make such repayment, to sell the securities. Should the Bank decide not to exercise these rights, interest will be charged at Bank rate on the balance of the advance outstanding with a minimum of 6½ per cent.

(6) The Scrip will be held by the Bank as security for the advance. Borrowers must keep with the Bank, at all times, sufficient security to cover the amount advanced plus a 5 per cent margin.

R. AITKEN,
Secretary & Treasurer.

Bank of Bombay.
Bombay, 17th September, 1920. 5013

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Bombay Gas Company, Limited.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

GAS SUPPLY.

It is now hoped to resume **Gas supply** on **Thursday**, 7th inst. of which **due notification** will be given in the **daily papers** of that day.

If the Gas will not light when main tap is turned on **TURN IT OFF AGAIN** and wait. Keep the main tap shut off until the Gas will light properly.

A. R. BURCH,
General Manager & Engineer.

NOTICE.

REFORMS ELECTIONS.

PUBLICATION OF FINAL ELECTORAL ROLLS AND LIST OF ADDITIONS.

IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that the final Electoral Rolls and list of additions for the Legislative Bodies to be constituted under the Government of India Act, 1919, have been prepared under Regulation 6, Part II of the Bombay Legislative Council, Indian Legislative Assembly and Council of State Electoral Regulations, and will be published on the 9th October, 1920 at the following places:—

Complete rolls for the Bombay City constituencies of the Bombay Legislative Council and the Indian Legislative Assembly, also the Bombay City part and Bombay Presidency parts of the European constituencies of the Bombay Legislative Council and the Indian Legislative Assembly; also Bombay City parts and the Bombay Presidency parts of the Non-Mahomedan and Mahomedan constituencies of the Council of State—Office of the Collector of Bombay, Town Custom House, Fort.

Ward rolls for the Bombay Legislative Council and the Indian Legislative Assembly elections at the following Municipal assessment Ward Offices:—

A Ward roll—Municipal Buildings, Hornby Road.
B Ward roll—Null Bazaar, Sandhurst Road.
C Ward roll—Chandanwal, Girgaum, Road.
D Ward roll—Fire Brigade Station, Gwalia Tank Road.
E Ward roll—Sankli Street, Byculla Bridge.
F & G Wards rolls—Elphinstone Road Overbridge, Parel.

2. Candidates requiring copies of these rolls for themselves or their recognised agents should apply to the Electorial Assistant to the Collector of Bombay, Town Custom House.

3. Attention of electors is drawn to the explanatory statement on Reforms elections published in the Times of India on 9th ultimo; copy of which will be attached also with the final Electoral Rolls at the various places of publication.

4. For the convenience of voters, candidates etc., polling stations for all constituencies have been arranged at the Esplanade Maidan, Fort, opposite Xavier's College.

(Sd.) J. P. BRANDER,
Collector of Bombay.

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THE HIND BUTTON FACTORY & METAL WORKS, LD.

NOTICE.

Re: ALLOTMENT MONEY.

WE are directed by the Board to request the Shareholders of the above Co. that the allotment money due by them on shares allotted to them is over due for a considerable time and beg to give them notice that unless the said Allotment money with interest thereon at 9 per cent. per annum is paid on or before the 31st October, 1920, the matter will be placed before the Board of Directors for forefeiture of their shares and for such other action being taken against them as the Board may deem fit of which please take note.

BILIMORIA GILDER & CO.,
Managing Agents.

Bombay Cloth Market,
Building,
5326 Mangaldas Road, Bombay.

THE AKBAR MANUFACTURING AND PRESS COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE FORTY-SECOND ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held on MONDAY, the 18th day of October, 1920, at 4-30 p.m. (S.T.) at the Company's Registered Office, J. N. Petit Institute Building, No. 314 Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay, for the purpose of transacting the following business:—

I. To receive and adopt the Directors' Report and the Audited Balance Sheet and Profit and Loss Account for the year ending 31st December 1919.
II.—To declare a dividend.
III.—To elect Directors in place of those retiring by rotation, but who are eligible for re-election.
IV.—To appoint two Auditors for the current year, and to fix their remuneration.
V.—To transact such other business as may be brought before the Meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors,
HAJEEBHOY LALLJEE and CO.,
Secretaries and Treasurers.

J. N. Petit Institute Building, No. 314
Hornby Road,
Bombay, 30th September, 1920.

N.B.—THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the company will be CLOSED from the 18th inst. to 2nd Proximo (both days inclusive). 5330

THE BENGAL BRIDGE & BOLT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the abovenamed Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company No. 20, Strand Road, Calcutta, on Thursday, the 30th day of September, 1920 at 5-15 o'clock in the afternoon or as soon thereafter as the business of the Second Ordinary General Meeting of the Company shall be concluded for the purpose of considering and if thought fit of passing with or without modification the following Resolutions as Extraordinary Resolutions, namely:—

1. That the capital of the Company be increased to Rs. 50,00,000 by the creation of 2,50,000 New Shares of Rs. 10 each.

2. That the Directors be and they are hereby Authorised to issue immediately 1,25,000 of the said new Shares in the capital of the Company and that the following rights and conditions be attached to such issue, that is to say:—

(a) The Shares comprised in the said new issue shall subject as hereinafter provided, rank for dividend and bonus and in all other respects pari passu with the Shares of the Company already issued expecting only that such Shares shall not participate in any dividend and/or bonus declared in respect of the Company's financial half year ending on the 30th day of June 1920.

(b) The said shares comprised in the said issue shall be offered in the first instance at par to all Shareholders on the Company's register of members at the date of this Meeting in the proportion of one new Share for every two existing shares held by him (but so that in calculating the number of shares to which each Shareholder is entitled fractions shall be disregarded) and such offer shall be made subject to such conditions as the Directors may think proper.

(c) The Directors may determine the time within which the existing shareholders are to have the option of taking up shares in the said new issue and all shares not taken up by shareholders within the time so fixed may be disposed of by the Directors to such persons and at such price and upon such terms and conditions as they may in their absolute discretion think fit.

3. The Directors be and they are hereby authorised to allot and dispose of the balance of 1,25,000 of the said new shares at such future time or times and to such persons and upon such terms and conditions as they may in their absolute discretion think fit.

By order of the Board,
J. C. BANERJEE,
Managing Agents.

Dated Calcutta,
The 17th day of September, 1920. 5246

LEGAL NOTICE.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that MEMON TARMAHOMED HAJI ALLIMAHOMED has contracted to sell absolutely to one of our clients the property hereunder described; all persons having any claim thereto or to any part thereof by way of inheritance mortgage, charge, gift, lease, lien, or otherwise howsoever are required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office at 95, Ash Lane, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to any such claim and the same, if any, will be deemed to have been waived.

THE SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY.

ALL that piece or parcel or land or ground situate lying and being at Lady Jamsetji Road, Mahim, without the Fort and in the Registration District and Sub-Distric of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 7637 5/9 square yards or thereabouts (of which 217 5/9 square yards are of perpetual Fazandari tenure and the remaining 7420 square yards are of the Pension and tax tenure the cess whereon has been redeemed, registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 308, New No. 4012 Old Survey No. 38 and New Survey No. 1/81 together with the messuages tenements, dwelling houses or bungalows standing thereon and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under G. Ward Nos. 5884, 5885, 5886(1) 5887, 5888(1), 5888(2) and 5886(2) and Street Nos. 360, 361, 362, 363 364a, and 362a, all which premises are bounded as follows:—that is to say on or towards the North by the properties formerly belonging to Anna Dmingos Dias, Louis Pascoal and Jehangir Cursetji but now belonging to Cowasji Setna, Abdul Rahim and F. F. Lobo, on or towards the South by the property of Valibai widow of Thaker Nathoo Walji, on or towards the East by the properties formerly belonging to Gangadhar Anandrao Morker, the Archbishop of Bombay and Joseph Dias but now belonging to Mrs. M. T. Dias, Dominic F. Miranda, E. Perreira and Cowasji Limjibhoy Malegamvala and on or towards the West by the property formerly of Walji Raghavji but now of Kokni Yusuf Miya Bhow Fakie and Lady Jamsetji Road, aforesaid and which said premises are now in the occupation of the tenants of the Vendor.

Dated this 5th day of October, 1920.

JEHANGIR & SEERVAI.
Purchaser's Attorneys.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE FOR SALE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that NAZAR-ALLI SHAMSUDIN has contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client. Any persons or persons having any claim or claims to the same by way of inheritance, gift, mortgage, lease, lien or otherwise howsoever, should make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office No. 40, Medows Street, Fort, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without regard to any such claim and the same will be considered to have been waived.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of Fazendari land or ground together with the massuage tenement and dwelling house standing thereon situate, lying and being on the West side of the Wellington Street and 2nd Marine Street in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, in the Island of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 160 square yards or thereabouts and registered in the Books of the Assessor and Collector of Land Revenue under C Ward No. 2328 and Street No. 17 and 75-77, New Survey No. 8299 and bounded as follows, that is to say on or towards the East partly by Sweeper's passage and beyond that by the property of Shah Mahmod Sale Mahomed, on or towards the West by the said Wellington Street, on or towards the South by the 2nd Marine Street and on or towards the North by Sweeper's passage and beyond that by the property of Rustomji Nowroji Mithaiwalla.

Dated this 5th day of October, 1920.

CHITNIS MOTILAL & KANGA,
Purchaser's Attorneys.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that KHATAU VISRAM and KANJEE VISRAM, both of Bombay, Hindu Inhabitants, have agreed to sell to our clients the property hereinafter mentioned.

All persons having any claim or demand against the said property by way of mortgage, gift, sale, trust, possession, inheritance, lease, lien or otherwise howsoever, are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office No. 40, Medows Street, Fort, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without regard to any such claim or demand and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of land situated on the Elphinstone Land Estate in the Island of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 331 6/9 square yards or thereabouts and bounded as follows, that is to say, on or towards the North by Clive Second Row, on or towards the South by Clive First Row, on or towards the East by land belonging to the said Trustees then in the occupation of the said Ismail Hassum and on or towards the West by land belonging to the said Trustees then in the occupation of Hirji Hansraj, which said premises were and are registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under New Survey No. 2186, and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes formerly under numbers 4, 5 and 7 and now under B Wards Nos. 5367, 5364 and Street Nos. 3, 9 and 4 and are situated in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay.

Dated this 5th day of October, 1920.

WADIA GHANDY & Co.,
Attorneys for the Purchaser.

123, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay. 5332

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that MAHOMED GANI, of Bombay Mahomedan Inhabitant who has agreed to purchase the undermentioned property from DOSSABHAI NUSSERWANJI GAMIR and JERBAI, wife of Dossabhai Nusserwanji Gamir has contracted to sell the same to our client.

All persons having any claim, right, title, or interest in or to the said property or any part thereof by way of mortgage, sale, gift, lease, trust, inheritance, charge, possession, maintenance, or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their Office at 11, Hummum Street, within the Fort of Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof. Otherwise the purchase shall be completed without reference to any such claim, and the same, if any, shall be considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel or land or ground situate lying and being on Fazandari ground on the West side of Trinity Street at Dhobi talao without the Fort of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 121, square yards or thereabouts together with the messuage tenement and building thereon and bearing Municipal C Ward No. 2295 Street No. 20 and New Survey No. 8288 of the Collector of Land Revenue and bounded as follows:—that is to say, on or towards the East by the Trinity Street, on or towards the North by the property of Pestanji Fakirji Shidva alias Daruwala on or towards the West by the property of a Khoja and on or towards the South by the property of Ardesir Pastonji Perebunderwala.

Dated this 5th day of October, 1920.

AMARCHAND & MANGALDAS,
Purchaser's Attorneys.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Sir DORABJI JAMSHEDJI TATA, Kt., Parsi of Bombay has contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client. Any person having any claim in or to the said property or any part thereof by way of sale exchange, mortgage, gift, trust, inheritance, possession, lease, lien, easement or otherwise is hereby required to make the same known in writing to us at our office No. 14 K Hummum Street, Fort, Bombay, and to the Assessor of Municipal Rates and Taxes within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without any regard to any such claim and the same will be considered as waived.

All that piece or parcel of vacant land originally of the Pension and tax tenure but now redeemed from payment of Pension and Tax being Plot No. C, on the Vendor's Road Estate, situate at Pedder Road, without the Fort of Bombay, in the Registration Sub-district of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 11,040 square yards or thereabouts and registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 17, New No. A/88, Old Survey No. 8 and New Survey No. 7116 and bounded on the East by a public passage, on the West by a new road, on the North and South by the property of Mr. R. D. Sethna and which said premises are assessed by the Assessor of Municipal Rates and Taxes under D Ward No. 3454 and Street No. 9 and were formerly in the occupation of the Vendor and are now in the occupation of the Purchaser.

Dated this 30th day of Sept. 1920.

MERWANJI KOLA & Co.,
Purchaser's Attorneys.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mr. KASSAMBHOY FAZALBHOY PEERBHOY, of Bombay, Khoja Mahomedan Inhabitant, has contracted to sell the property described below to our clients free from any and all encumbrances claims and demands whatsoever.

Any and all person or persons having any share, right, title, interest, claim or demand whatsoever in, to and upon the said property or any part or parts thereof by way of sale, mortgage, charge, lien, exchange, gift, inheritance, trust, lease, possession, succession, survivorship, easement or otherwise howsoever, is and are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office at No. 4, Motilal Mansions, 14, Hamam Street, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the purchase will be completed without any regard to any such sale and the same, if any, will be considered waived and absolutely abandoned.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of Teka land or ground containing by admeasurement 8,050 square yards or thereabouts more or less whatever the same may be situate, lying and being at Moje Ville Parle, Taluka Salsette, Zilla Thana and the Registration Sub-District of Bandra, and registered in the Books of the Collector of Thana under the following numbers:—

Entry No.	Survey No.	Pot No.	Area. Acre	Gun.	Assessment Rs. a. p.
(c) 3019	218	12/1	0–	5½	"– 14-6
(d) 37	216	22,23	2–"–	"	14– 6-6
			2–	5½	14-14-6

and bounded as follows, that is to say, on or towards the East by lands belonging to Sorab Khodabad Irani, Navjitram Mobatram and Wassudeo Ramchandra Jayker, on or towards the West by Bandra God Bunder Road, on or towards the South partly by the lands belonging to Mauekji Byramji Barrister and P. D. Miranda and partly by the lands belonging to Navjitram Mobatram and Wassudeo Ramchandra Jayker and on or towards the North by Nala of water and partly by lands belonging to Merwanji Burjorji and Beragia Miakit and the varkas land out of Survey No. 218 which is covered by Nala.

Dated this 5th day of October, 1920.

FORBES & Co.,
Purchasers' Attorneys.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mr GANJI JMAVER, who has contracted to purchase the undermentioned property from Mr. EBRAHIMBHAI FAZALBHAI MISTRI, has contracted to sell the same to our clients.

All persons having any interest therein, or claim thereto or in or to any part thereof, either by way of gift, inheritance, mortgage, charge, lease, lien, trust, or otherwise howsoever are requested to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office at Standard Building, Graham Road, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof, failing which the said sale will be completed without reference to any such interest or claim, and the same, if any, will be treated as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of leasehold land together with the messuages tenements and buildings standing thereon being plot No. 59 of the Supari Baug Estate of the Bombay Improvement Trust in the City and Island of Bombay, in the Sub-Registration District of Bombay, and containing by admeasurement 796 square yards thereto and bounded on the North-East by a 26 foot road on the South-East by a property of the Bombay Improvement Trust reserved for a school site on the South-West by Plot No. 49 of the said Supari Baug Estate and on the North-West by a 26 foot Road and bearing New Survey No. 25589 (part) and assessed by the Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under F. Ward No. 585 Street No. 2.

Dated this 1st day of October, 1920.

CRAIGIE BLUNT & CAROE,
Purchaser's Attorneys.

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY,

TESTAMENTARY AND INTESTATE JURISDICTION.

GEORGE V by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India

Petition for Letters of Administration of the property and credits of PARBHURAM HARISCHAND, of Bombay, Hindu Inhabitant, a Merchant, who at the time of his death resided at Khetwadi 7th Lane, without the Fort of Bombay ..... Deceased.

Bai SAKERBAI, widow of Parbhuram Harischand, of Bombay, Hindu Inhabitant, without occupation, living at Khetwadi 7th Lane, with the Fort of Bombay ..... tioner.

All persons claiming to have any interest in the estate of the abovenamed deceased are hereby cited to come and see the proceedings, if they think fit, before the grant of Letters of Administration.

Witness Sir NORMAN CRANSTOUN MACLEOD, Knight, Chief Justice at Bombay aforesaid, this twenty-eighth day of September in the year of Our Lord One thousand nine hundred and twenty and in the eleventh year of our Reign.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay.

(Sd.) R. S. PATEL,
Acting Registrar.

(Sd.) W. J. HOWARD.

The 28th day of September, 1920.

Messrs. MANCHERSHAH & NARMADASHANKER,
Petitioner's Attorneys.

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SALES BY AUCTION.

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AUCTION SALE OF 1 "STUDBAKER" MOTOR CAR.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, the 6th day of October, 1920, at 3-30 p.m. (S. T.), Messrs. J. S. MODY and Co., Auctioneers, will sell by Public Auction at their Rooms next to the Post Office in Apollo Street, Fort, by order of the concerned:—

1 "Studbaker" Motor Car 4 cylinders 40 h.p. 7 seater in running order with accessories.

J. S. MODY & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 6th October, 1920.

SALES BY AUCTION.

GANDHI & CO.

Auctioneers and Commission Agents.
No. 32, Medows Street, Fort.

AUCTION SALE OF AN IMMOVEABLE PROPERTY SITUATE AT GHOGHARI MOHOLLA WITHOUT THE PORT OF BOMBAY.

Under instructions from Messrs. Mulji & Thakordas Attorneys for Jamnadas Narandas Motiwala and Bhawanidas Narandas Motiwala and on account and at the risk of Khatizabai daughter of Haji Ismail Tar-Mohumad a minor by her guardian Hanifabai widow of Ebrahim Osman the Mortgagor and pursuant to the power of sale reserved to and vested in the said Mortgagees by virtue of an Indenture of Morigage dated the 25th day of November 1918 and made between the said Mortgagor of the one part and the said Mortgagee of the other part Messrs. GANDHI and Co., Auctioneers will sell by Public Auction at the premises on WEDNESDAY, the 6th day of October, 1920 at 4-30 p.m. (S. T.) the immoveable property described hereunder.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of quit and ground rent land or ground together with the messuages, tenements or buildings standing thereon situate at Ghoghari Moholla without the Fort of Bombay in the Registration Sub-district of Bombay containing by admeasurement 62 square yards or thereabouts and bearing Collector's Old No. 39, New No. 7389 Old Survey No. 1698 and New Survey No. 1046 and bounded on the East by Ghoghari Mohalla 1st Cross Lane, on the West by the said Ghoghari Mohalla on the North by the property of Mahomed Mistry and on the South by the property of Esea Fakira and the buildings thereon are assessed by the Bombay Municipality under C Ward No. 6261 and Street Nos. 6-8.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to Messrs. Mulji and Thakordas Attorney's for the Mortgagees at their office No. 7 Churchgate Street, Bombay, or to the undersigned.

AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTIES SITUATED AT NEW KAZI STREET AND UMERKHADI WITHOUT THE FORT OF BOMBAY.

Under instructions from Messrs. Chitnis Motilal and Kanga Attorneys for Mr. Pestonji Hormasji Chinchgar, and Arjan alias Ardesher Hormasji Chinchgar the executors of the last will and testament with a Codicil thereto of Bai Aavabai deceased widow of Hormasji Muncherji Chinchgar and on account and at risk of defaulting purchaser Mr. Nazarally Samsuden Messrs. GANDHI and Co., Auctioneers will sell the undermentioned properties on the premises.

SCHEDULE.

On SATURDAY, the 9th October, 1920, at 4-30 p.m. (S. T.).

FIRSTLY—All that piece or parcel of quit and ground rent land or ground with the messuage, tenement or dwelling house standing thereon, situate lying and being at New Kazi Street in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay in the Island of Bombay containing by admeasurement 179 square yards or thereabouts and registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under old No. 893 and 894 New No. 8059, 8061, Old Survey No. 1725, 1729, New Survey No. 847, 848, and in the Books of the Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under C Ward No. 6132, 6133 and Street No. 203, 205, 207, and bounded as follows that is to say on or towards theh East by Sweeper's passage, on or towards the West by the New Kazi Street, on or towards the North by the property of Abdulkadar Oorankar and on or towards the South by the property of Hussamuddin Burray.

On MONDAY, the 11th October, 1920, at 4-30 p.m. (S. T.).

SECONDLY—All that piece or parcel of perpetual Fazandari land or ground with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon situate lying and being at Umar Khadi Road admeasuring 328 square yards or thereabouts and registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under New Survey No. 3645 and in the Books of the Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under B Ward No. 3570 Street No. 48-52 and bounded as follows on or towards the East by the house of Vithalrao Krishnaji on or towards the West by the house of Narayan Ramji Kadusker, on or towards the North by the Cross Lane and on or towards the South by the Umarkhadi Road..

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to Messrs. Chitnis Motilal & Kanga, Attorneys for the Vendors, at their Office No. 40 Medows Street Fort or to the undersigned.

GANDHI & CO.,
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 6th October, 1920.

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On Government and G. I. P. Railway Lists

AUCTION SALE OF GOVERNMENT CLOTHING.

On MONDAY, the 11th October, at 10 a.m. (S. T.), Messrs. MEHTA and Co. will sell by Public Auction at the Surplus Textiles Sale Depot at Howard and Bullough Mill in the compound of Sir Shapurji Broacha, Mills, Chinchpokli, by order of the Assistant Controller, Textiles Sales of the Indian Munitions Board, a very great lot of Government Clothing consisting of Blankets and other miscellaneous articles.

The above goods can be seen at the place of auction.

Cash will be required at the time of sale and the goods to be removed at the same time.

AUCTION SALE OF 38 BALES AMRAOTI COTTON.

On THURSDAY, the 7th instant at 5 p.m., Messrs. MEHTA and Co., will sell by Public Auction at Cotton Green, Colaba on account and at the risk of the defaulting purchaser at the auction sale doted 22nd September, 1920, Messrs. Narsy Nagsi and Co., of Bhat Bazar.

38 bales Amraoti cotton.

MEHTA & Co.,
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Bombay, 6th October, 1920.

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COMMERCIAL.

BOMBAY MARKETS.

COTTON.

Oct., 6.

The Marwari Bazar for forward business for Southerns opened late to-day at Rs. 416 and advanced to Rs. 418 closing at Rs. 418. At Colaba the market opened at Rs. 419 and closed at Rs. 418.

Our market for ready cotton opened yesterday with a quiet feeling, and the inquiry was limited only to some high class Bengals, Oosuras and good stapled quality, and about 1,500 Rs. are reported to have changed hands.

SPOT QUOTATIONS.

5th October, 1920.

Descriptions.	Super fine.	Fine.	S.G.	Good.
M.G. Bengal ...	...	265	220	195
M.G. and Punjab ...	...	245	220	195
M.G. Oomra No. 2 ...	320	285	245	...
Central P. No. 1 ...	400	365	325	...
Do. No. 2 ...	360	325	305	...

RECEIPTS.

The following are the receipts of cotton produce, etc at the Bombay centres ending 6 p.m. On 4th Oct. 1920

Cotton ...	2552	Bales.
Wheat ...	2553	Quts.
Linseed ...	1152	"
Rape seed ...	2145	"
Gingelly seed ...	5138	"
Poppyseed ...	90	"
Groundnuts ...	27	"
Castorseed ...	8,842	"
Rice ...	985	"
Myrabolams ...	1947	"
Cottonseed ...	6194	"
Sawarseed ...	230	"
Gram ...	1256	"
Jowar ...	1,877	"
Bajri ...	Nil	
Sugar ...	97	"
Sundries ...	617	"
Total ...	2795	Tons.

BOMBAY EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

Monday, Oct. 5th 1920.

	Market Rates
Bank Telegraphic ...	₹ 1 6 0
Bank Demand ...	₹ 1 5 11
Documentary Sight ...	1 9 1/4
Bank Demand ...	417
4 months' Dollars ...	342
Documentary ...	240
Sovereigns ...	329
Napoleons ...	175
Japan ...	138½

Market steady.

BOMBAY-CHINA YARN MARKETS.

DAILY QUOTATIONS RECEIVED

Oct. 5th 1920.

	Per lb.	Rs. a. p.
Nos. 16	...	0 6 0
Nos. 20	19½	0 15 6
Nos. 32	...	1 2 0
Nos. 40	25	1 12 6
Nos. 60/1	...	2 3 0
Nos. 60/2	...	2 3 0
Nos. 80/2	...	2 3 0

METAL.

Market rates for Brass and Copper. Daily Quotations

Oct. 5th 1920.

	Per cwt.	Rs. a. p.
Sheets ...	3/4	88 0 0
Do. ...	3/8	89 0 0
Rods ...	3½	84 0 0
Do. ...	1½	80 0 0
Do. ...	1½	89 0 0
Do. ...	2	89 0 0
Ammonia Copper Barrs ...	...	...
Pencil Cedar Pots ...	...	32 — 0
Copper Muntin Barrs ...	...	51 0 0
Yellow Barrs ...	...	39 0 0

COPPER RATES.

Oct. 5th 1920.

	Per cwt.	Rs. a. p.
Copper ...	2/4	20 0 0
Do. ...	1	82 0 0
Do. ...	1/8	82 0 0
Do. ...	10/2	82 0 0
Do. ...	11	83 0 0
Do. ...	2	86 0 0

WHEAT AND SEEDS.

The Bombay Wheat and Seeds daily Quotations Bazar Select.

Bombay, Oct. 5th 1920. 6 p.m.

Ready	Bazar Terms.	Bath Deliver.
	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
Wheat White, Delhi 76-38 ...	60 0 0	8 2 0
" Cawnpore 79-38 ...	58 0 0	0 0 0
" Karachi Bombay ...	61 0 0	0 0 0
Linseed, Brown Bold ...	73 8 0	14 4 0
" Cawnpore ...	13 8 0	14 4 0
" Yellow Cawnpore ...	14 8 0	15 2 0
Linseed, Brown Bold ...	16 8 0	18 0 0
" Thin ...	17 11 0	17 12 0
Undecided, White 86-15 ...	62 0 0	19 0 0
" Galar 76-36 ...	55 0 0	17 8 0
" Galar 86-6 ...	59 0 0	16 4 0
" Black ...	72 0 0	15 0 0
Poppyseed, White ...	16 4 0	17 4 0
Cawnpore-Bombay ...	87 0 0	17 8 0
Rapeseed ...	0 0 0	0 4 0
Barley ...	51 0 0	...
Undecided ...	57 0 0	11 10 0
Cottonseeds	38 0 0	5 7 0
Forward.	Rs. a. p.	
Wheat May — ...	0 12 3	
Linseed May ...	18 3 0	

MONEY AND SHARE MARKET.

BOMBAY, Oct. 5.

REPORT.

Bar Gold Ready Rs. 26/3.
Bar Silver Ready Rs. 113/12.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

5 per cent War Loan 80.
5½ per cent War Bonds due 1920-22. 98/8.
4 per cent Conversion Loan 73.
4 per cent Terminable Loan 93.
3½ per cent Paper 58.
4 per cent Port Trust long dated 66.
4 per cent Port Trust short dated 66.
4 per cent Municipal long dated 65.
4 per cent Municipal short dated 90.
5 per cent Municipal Tansa 90.
5 per cent Municipal Sanitary 91½ to 92½.

BANK RATES.

Bank of Bombay 5 per cent.
Bank of Bengal 5 per cent.
Bank of Madras 6 per cent.

SHARES.

Market closed very quiet with downward tendency.

The following are the closing rates of the Bombay Stock Exchange:—

COTTON MILLS.

Ahd. Advance 2700, By. Cotton 1080, By. Dyeing 2915, Century 945, Cent. Indian 5020, Colaba Land 2500, Crescent 582/8, Currimbhoy 1145, David 1517/8, Fazulbhoy 1670, Finlay 1060, Ind. Bleaching 205, Ind. Malwa 550, Kasturchand 1850, Kohinoor 3290, New Great 845, Pearls 1055, Phoenix 945, Shapurji 375, Simplex 792/8, Swan 1078, Swadeshi 4580, Tata Mill 2100.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Alcock 812/8, By. Burma 680, By. Burma N. I. 220 pr., Bt. Burma Petrol 17/12, By. Tramway 745, Bundi Cement 40, By. Steam 460, Ind. Cement 390, Katni Ord. 235, Katni Defd. 1200, New India Ins. 6 pr., Shivrajpir 38/8, Tata Ord. 130 xd, Tata Defd. 730, Tata Hydro 960, Tata Oil 390, Tata Bank 27, Scindia 4 dis.

THE WEATHER.

RAINFALL IN BOMBAY.

Period Recorded up to 8 a.m. of 5th Oct. 1920

Stations	Rainfall during 24 hours ending 8 a.m. of 5th Oct. 1920.	Total since 1st June, 1920.	June 1st to 6th Oct. 1919.	June 1st to 6th Oct. 1918.
	In. Cs.	In. Cs.	In. Cs.	In. Cs.
Colaba (Observatory) ...	...	...	...	67.65
Fort (St. George's Hospital) ...	...	...	...	76.68
Esplanade (Sch. Inq. Hospital) ...	...	...	...	78.10
Cumballa (J. J. Hospital) ...	...	...	...	77.44

TEMPERATURE IN BOMBAY.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY, COLABA

Bombay, 4th Oct. 1920.

Hours of observations taken at 8 a.m. 12 noon 3 p.m. 6 p.m. and 10 p.m.

Temperature corrected to 32 deg. Fahr. ...	29.718	Inches.
Temperature of Air ...	84.7	Degs.
Wet Bulb Thermometer ...	80.7	"
Dew Point ...	79.4	"
Relative humidity of Air ...	0.844	"
Amount of cloudy sky (the whole sky cloudy being 10) ...	4.0	"
Continuous temperature of Air ...	91.1	"
Evaporation ...	86.6	"
General Direction of Wind from midnight to midnight ...	SSE, WSW.	
Movement of Wind ...	8	Miles.
Fall of Rain ...	0.00	Inches.
Total fall during month ...	0.80	"
Departure from mean ...	-0.71	"
Continuous fall of rain up to 10 a.m. of 5th	0.00	"

SUN, MOON AND TIDES AT BOMBAY.

The following are the hours and heights of the tides in Bombay Harbour, during the ensuing week. Hours reckoned in Bombay Mean Time, depth of water in Chart Datum.

Day of Month	High Water		Low Water		High Water		Low Water	
	Oct.	h. m.	ft. in.	Oct.	h. m.	ft. in.	Oct.	h. m.	ft. in.
Wed.	6	m 4 39	24 6	6	m 11 5	29 1			
Thu.	7	m 5 37+	24 9	7	10 55+	17 10			
Fri.	8	m 7	26 5	8	m 0 25	18 4			
Sat.	9	m 1 9+	26 8	9	m 1 51+	18 9			
Sun.	10	m 9 7	27 3	10	m 3 20+	18 11			
Mon.	11	m 10 24	27 0	11	m 4 23	17 6			
Tues.	12	m 11 16	24 8	12	m 4 4+	15 2			
		m 0 8	22 2		m 0 26	16 5			
					9 30+	17 8			

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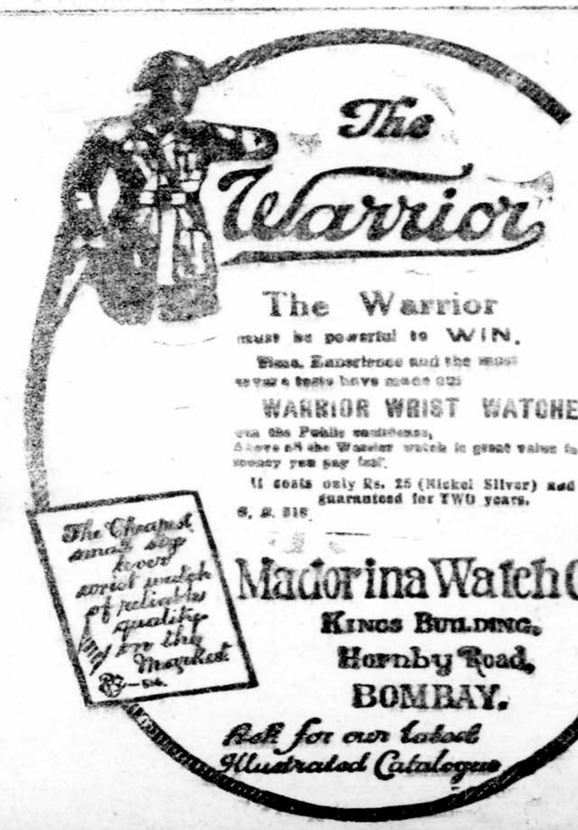

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BOMBAY CITY AND SUBURBS.

ENGAGEMENTS.

TO-DAY.

Municipal Standing Committee, 4-10 p.m.
Poona races: extra meeting.
Mass meeting of Labour to help postal strikers, Poibavdi, Parel, 6-30 p.m.

RLY. MAIL TIMINGS.

The following are the hours of arrivals and departures of the principal mail and express trains at and from Victoria Terminus daily. Standard time is given in all cases:—

G. I. P. RAILWAY.

	Arr. H.M.	Dep. H.M.
Punjab Ma	17.00	13.00
Calcutta Mail (via Jubulpore) ...	13.15	21.00
Calcutta Mail (via Nagpore) ...	8.00	13.30
Madras Mail	8.40	22.15
Poona Mail	11.30	16.40
2nd and 3rd Poona Express ...	12.0	18.15
Poona Express	16.40	7.5
Delhi and Lucknow Express ...	9.00	21.30

B. B. and C. I. RAILWAY.

The following are the hours of arrivals and departures of the principal mail and express trains at and from Colaba station daily with effect from Thursday, the 1st July, 1920. Standard time is given in all cases:—

	Bombay Arr. H.M.	Dep. H.M.
Bombay-Peshawar Mail	14.0	15.0
*Gujarat Mail	11.10	20.25
Kathiawar Express	7.15	20.45
Fast Passenger	21.20	7.25

*The Up Gujarat Mail will continue to stop at Grant Road, but the Down Gujarat Mail will not stop there

DOMESTIC OCCURRENCES

DEATH.

MEHTA—Dhunjibhoy Merwanji Mehta, brother of the late Sir Phirozeshah, Hormasji, Muncherji and Rustomji Mehta. Funeral this morning at 8-30 a.m. (S.T.) from his residence opposite Petit Sanitarium at Cumballa Hill.

TENANTS' ASSOCIATION MALAD.

A tenants Association has been formed at Malad, for the benefit and interest of Malad and other villagers in its close proximity.

CITY'S DEATH ROLL

The total mortality in the city of Bombay on the 4th October was 143 as against 151 on the corresponding day last year and 724 the year before last.

A LECTURE ON "BRAHMACHARYA."

Thakur Govindsingh of Dayananda Anathalya (Agra) will deliver a lecture on Brahm-Charya to-day at 5-30 p.m. on the Chowpatti Sands.

MILL-STORES.

(From Our Correspondent.)

Oct. 5

The Quotations are as follows:—

Healds—Rs. 2-12-0 to 3-8-0; Reeds—As 4 to 5; Roller cloth (k)—Rs. 6/- to 7/-; Roller Skin—Rs. 70/80; Pickers No. 4—Rs. 65/80; Picking Bands—Rs. 3/-; Shuttles 14½"—Rs. 30/-; Shuttles 13½"—Rs. 20/-, Slubbings—Rs. 40/50, Rowings Rs. 28/34,

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WILSON COLLEGE BIBLE CLASSES.

PRINCIPAL'S DISAPPOINTING REPLY TO STUDENT.

The following information has been sent to us by five students of the Wilson College:

The Committee of the students that was elected to wait on the Principal of Wilson College, as a deputation to request him to make the attendance of non-Christian students at the daily Bible classes voluntary, has been given at last the most unsatisfactory answer.

The Principal stated that they had started their institution not only to impart University education but also every kind of knowledge which they thought useful and important. He said that the Bible contained what was best in Western civilisation and culture and therefore he would see that the policy of the college remained unchanged. The method of marking attendance of students however unjust it may be, he said, he would not alter. If the students had any grievance in this respect they must approach the University Senate. Lastly, he emphasised with regard to the question of grant that it was for the Government to settle whether grant ought to be paid or not to an institution which imparts compulsory religious education on sectarian lines. The students were not the taxpayers that they should meddle into such affairs.

The students have done their duty. They now expect the public not only to sympathise with them but do all they can to agitate on their behalf and get their grievance redressed. The students are now threatened with a new rule that either they shall have to sign on a prescribed form to express their willingness to attend the Bible classes or leave the College. This means that either the students must do something against their conscience or go without university education, there being no other college in Bombay to accommodate them. Will the Sympathetic public suggest any course to the students?

"THE CONSCIENCE CLAUSE."

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—You have highly obliged those who are fighting hard against the peculiar attitude which the principal of the Wilson College has taken simply because there is no other College in Bombay to accommodate the poor students. The Principal may do what he pleases, but what is the duty of the University? I think it is necessary for the senate to see that the following rule with regard to the keeping of the terms is strictly followed by every college which is affiliated to it.

"To keep a term at a College or recognized Institution, an Undergraduate must go through [illegible] course of study at that College or Institution prescribed for such term to the class to which such Undergraduate then belongs."

We ask the Principal if he would mark a student present every day in the College rolls when according to the above rate *he goes through the full course of study prescribed by the University?* Probably he will not, otherwise why is the attendance of the students marked in Bible periods everyday? Will not any member of the Senate raise a cry against this custom in the Wilson College which is evidently breaking this University rule, in order to enforce its old policy of compulsory religious education?—Yours etc.

A. PAST WILSONION.

TWO BOMBAY ROADS RENAMED.

The ordinary meeting of the Trustees for the Improvement of the City of Bombay was held on Tuesday Mr. E. C. Turner presiding.

The Board considered the following letter from the Municipal Commissioner, dated the 5th August 1920:—

"I have the honour to refer to your letter No. 10055 of 28-11-19 regarding the naming of the two roads in Scheme No. 31, Parel Estate, and to inform you that the Corporation have given sanction under Section 327 (a) (1) (a) of the Municipal Act to the road which forms the eastern boundary of the site of the King Edward Memorial Hospital being named "Hospital Avenue."

2. In connection with the proposal for naming the road formerly known as Cher Gully "Windsor Road" the suitability of the proposed nomenclature was called in question and it was suggested that in accordance with the usual practice approved by the Corporation of naming roads after distinguished persons who had been connected with the locality concerned the road in question should be named Liston Road after Lt.-Col: Glen Liston. The road is not one of great importance, and if another and more important road is available to be named after Col.-Liston I should have preferred it, but I understand from Col. Liston that he would not object to the naming of the road after him. I should be obliged if you would inform me whether the Trust has in contemplation any other road in the vicinity which might more suitably be named Liston Road, and, if not, whether it has any objection to the name Liston Road being substituted for Windsor Road."

The Board resolved to inform the Corporation that they had no objection to "Windsor Road" being named "Liston Road".

INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE.

The following are declared by the Civil Service Commissioners to have obtained the first six places in the recent open competitive examination for the Indian Civil Service:—

Ramalingam, Ponnambalam.....2,716
Bateman, Arthur Fitzroy.....2,695
Shah, Ambalal Darottamdas.....2,377
Bose, Subhas Chandra.....2,284
Bhat, Madhusudan Damodar.....2,137
Rege, Dattatraya Vaman.....2,049

The following stand next in order of merit.—

Ranasinha, Arthur Godwin.....2,029
Chandra, Chaudri Manak.....2,010

CHEMICALS

The market keeps steady and firm. The demand is not attractive. The tendency of the Stockists is to clear of their holdings and realise cash. The stringency in the money market has greatly depressed the tone. The Quotations are almost the same.

COLOUR MARKET.

Oct. 5

The Colour-Market displays abnormal quietness and very poor business passing. The home quotations are firm and the bazaar rates here also are firm; but owing to the nervous stockholders purchasers get concession rates.

The quotations are:—

Congo-Red.	Rs.	3-8-0 to 4-0	per lb.
Delta Purpurine.	,,	8-0-0	,, ,,
Benzo Purpurine.	,,	6-0-0	,, ,,
Magenta Crystals (Ger)	,,	18-0-0	,, ,,
Malachite Green.	,,	9-0-0 to 10-0	,, ,,
Auramine.	,,	6-0-0	,, ,,
Methyl Violet.	,,	8-0-0 to 10-0	,, ,,
Fast Red. (3H.)	,,	10-0-0 to 11-0	,, ,,
Rhodamine.	,,	14-0-0	,, ,,
Alizarine. (Ger)	,,	225-0-0	,, cwt.
Alizarine. I. P.	,,	800-0-0 to 825.	,, drum

NATIONAL SCHOOL.

TO BE STARTED IN SURAT.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Surat Oct. 2.

Non-cooperation has beeome the topic of the day. Meetings are being held in various parts of the city to persuade voters not to vote. Some of the candidates who have come forward for election have been openly challenged through the local press. One candidate has been asked to explain his policy.

The General Committee of the patidar Boards has resolved to adopt the non-cooperation resolution and to ask students under its control to leave schools aided by Government.

A Large number of Anavil and Patidar students have already left their schools and have expressed their desire to join national school.

The Surat district committee of Gujerat Kelavni Mandal have decided to start a national school in Surat. Fee rates have been provisionally fixed. A building has also been secured. The school is to be provisionally held in morning. The authorities are waiting for the formal opening of the school by Mr. Gandhi, who is expected in Surat after he has finished his work in Bombay in connection with the All-India Congress Committee.

Death of Mr. R. D. Mehta.

I regret to report the death of Mr. R. D Mehta, Head master, Union High School. The deceased worked as headmaster for twenty years. His death is a heavy loss to the Union School, particularly because other partners of Mr. Mehta are still very junior men.

CEYLON RACES.

(From Our Correspondent.)

Colombo, Oct. 4.

The first entries for the Ceylon Turf Club Octobe meeting to be held on the 16th, 23rd and 30th closed this afternoon. Entries are very good majority of events having filled well the meet promises to be an enjoyable one. There are few horses which do not figure in today's list, but they will, it is believed, be put in with later entries.

MR. VIJAYA RAGHAVA CHARIAR.

ATTENDS A PARTY TO GOVERNOR.

Mr. Abdul Hamad Khan wires from Madras under date October 4:—

Mr. Vijiaraghavachariar attended Sir Rajagopalchari's party to the Governor. Great dissatisfaction prevails in the Congress circles. Opposition is growing strong to his Congress Presidentship.

KAIRA AND BROACH DISTS.

Similar meetings of the workers of Kaira and Broach Districts were held at Dakore and Broach on Tuesday and Wednesday respectively, when a programme of taking signatures on non-voting declarations was settled. Public meetings were also held at both these places, when Mr. Yajnik and some local leaders spoke on non-co-operation. A peculiar feature of the Broach meeting was the presence of Mr. Antoladas, the local Government pleader, who advanced some ridiculous arguments in favour of going to the Council and apparently of his candidature. Mr. Yajnik, Mr. Haribhai Amin, Mr. Narielawala, the President of the meeting, and some others had an easy task in giving a erushing reply to Mr. Antoladas.

CONFERENCE OF DIST. WORKERS.

(From our own Correspondent.)

September, 27.

A meeting of the leading district workers of the district was held to-day at 2 p.m., when representatives of about 37 villages of all the talukas attended. Mr. J. K. Yajnik explained the scheme of political propaganda for taking voters' signatures on boycott forms. A strong committee was formed for carrying on the work in the district Local leaders were entrusted with work in each taluka. It was then resolved to celebrate the date of Council elections as a day of joy and emancipation and to organise public meetings and demonstrations on a large scale near polling booths wherever possible in all the towns and villages of the district. A deputation was also appointed to go round the chief centres with a view to educate public opinion in the district.

BOMBAY COUNCIL ELECTION.

The Director of Information, Bombay, writes:—Intending candidates for the reformed Council and Legislative Assembly should be careful not to miss the time and date for the submission of their nomination papers. These must reach the Returning Officers on or before noon on 12th October. It is better to be too early than too late, for lateness will entail rejection. And the nomination forms must be properly filled up, and subscribed by two electors of the constituency. Nomination forms can be obtained from the Collector. As candidates will object if possible to the nomination papers of their rivals, it is necessary to be careful. Another point which should not be forgotten is that every candidate must make in writing and sign a declaration appointing either himself or some other person to be his election agent. This, too, must be done on or before the date on which the candidate is nominated: in fact this declaration and the nomination paper should be submitted together and before 12th October. Declaration forms can be had from all collectors. Candidates should of course have copies of the Bombay Electorial Rules and Regulations and should study them. They can be obtained from the Government Central Press. All these warnings might be thought superfluous. But persons who intended to enter the Councils have actually failed to ascertain whether their names are on the Electoral roll or not, and this extraordinary omission has resulted in their disqualification. This is why it has been thought desirable to issue the present warning.

Mr. Prithwis Chandra Ray, who had gone to England in June last, in connection with some of the reform rules, has just arrived in Bombay yesterday by the s. s. "Graz".

In the s. s. "Graz" has also arrived an American lady, Mrs. Adela Kennedy, a distinguished sculptor of New York and Paris, who is going to join the Ramkrishna Mission at Benares.

NON-COOPERATION.

LORD WILLINGDON CONDEMNES IT AS "DISLOYAL" MOVEMENT.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

Madras, October 4.

The Madras Legislative Council, reassembling today, further discussed the Madras Local Boards Bill. After the amendments on the agenda were disposed of Sir Rajagopalachari moved that the bill as amended be passed into law. The Hon. member pointed out that in an important measure like the one they were considering, there would necessarily be some difference of opinion among Hon. members regarding various provisions, but the question for Hon. members to consider was whether the bill taken as a whole was not one worthy of their wholehearted support. Non-official members heartily welcomed the bill but at the same time pointed out what they considered to be drawbacks in the proposed enactment. They pointed out that in the matter of election direct election was not conceded and that profession tax ought to have been transferred to Local Boards. At the same time general feeling was that the enactment was a distinct advance upon the old act and calculated to accelerate progress of local self Government in the Presidency. The bill was passed.

Sir Rajagopalachari then presented the report of the Select Committee on the Madras Village Panchayat Bill, 1920, and moved the bill and report be taken into consideration together. The motion having been carried, amendments relating to several provisions were moved. One of the members wanted the word "Council" to be substituted for the word "Panchayat" throughout the bill but it was pointed by another member that the word "Panchayat" had been in vogue from time immemorial and should not now be dropped. The amendment was lost. The bill was passed into law.

PRESIDENT'S REMARKS.

At the close of the council session this afternoon, H. E. the President made an interesting speech reviewing the work of the Council during the past 14 months availing himself of the opportunity to compliment non-official members for their spirit of co-operation. His Excellency dwelt on the movement of Non-co-operation inaugurated by Mr. Gandhi and his friends. H. E. expressed that in his opinion the movement was a disloyal one. It was most unfortunate, he said, that India should at present possess a leader whose actions were so misguided and whose propaganda was calculated to do irreparable harm. Referring to the Punjab, Lord Willingdon said that if there were wrongs they ought to be righted by constitutional means. He exhorted the Mahomedans to bear in mind that Turkey had signed peace and that their Holy places were carefully safeguarded and to realise that "Status-quo-ante-bellum" could not be restored. They should not, in those circumstances, support the unconstitutional agitation tending to produce chaos and disorder. He also made a powerful appeal to Indians and Englishmen for closer and truer cooperation and for the two communities to exercise mutual sympathy and greater understanding in certain assurance that the best interest of the communities and the country would thereby be furthered. He also made an appeal to Indian communities to subordinate their personal party and communal jealousies in their earnest endeavour to make the reforms a success.

NON-COOPERATION IN PANCH MAHALS.

(From our Correspondent.)

Dohad Octo. 1.

On 30th September a deputation consisting of Messrs. Waman Mukadam, Sukhdev and Damodarbhai made a move in Jhalod taluka. Mr. Mukadam addressed the people of Limbdi in the morning, Jhalod in the now, of Nansalai in the evening and of Muwadi at night on Non-cooperation. He also addressed the population of nearly 8 villages at Mirakheda on Non-cooperation and forced labour.

WITHDRAWAL OF CANDIDATURE.

Mr. Hafiz Alam Jasiady, secretary, Anjuman Khuddam Watan, Allahabad, has withdrawn his condidature for the U. P. Council.

Owing to certain personal reasons Mr. Naginlal Maganlal has withdrawn his candidature for a seat in the Bombay Governor's Legislative Council from the Ahmedabad district (rural) constituency

MEETING IN AMERICA.

To show their sympathy with the "Boycott the British" movement, Hindu residents of New York, Detroit, Chicago, San Francisco, Sacramento and other places in the United States held mass meetings in the early part of August and says India, passed resolutions urging the people of India "to take necessary steps to stop Indian men, money and material from being utilised in fighting for British imperialist schemes to enslave Asiatic countries and Russia." A similar resolution was passed in a meeting held by Indian residents in London in the latter part of July.—"India."

ANOTHER ITEM OF NON-CO-OPERATION,

SHOULD FORTHCOMING CENUS BE BOYCOTTED?

(From our own Correspondent).

Delhi, Oct. 4.

Delhi is preparing itself for another item of non-violent Non-Cooperation. It is planning to boycott the forthcoming census and it is expected private persons appointed as public servants under the Census Act to take Census will not undertake this duty and would rather risk maximum penalty of rupees fifty under section 10, Census Act. Similarly, that the general public will risk the penalty and not answer questions. Delhi would, however, submit to the forthcoming Census if Government saw their way to adding a column for recording adult vote for complete and immediate swaraj in order to ascertain the country's prevailing wishes in this respect. Mr. Asaf Ali, author of this proposal, confidently hopes that if this movement is taken up by the country and all attention is focussed on propagandish work it will at once accomplish two ends, namely adult plebiscite for complete Swaraj and house to house propaganda for Non-Cooperation. Delhi leaders have after full consideration of this matter decided to request Mahatma Gandhi to consider the possibility of taking up this question.

It is understood that the Delhi indemnity is not going to be realised. For the present, the office set up for this purpose has been, it is reported, abolished.

SCHEME OF PANCHAYATS.

Mr. Asaf Ali has completed his scheme of Panchayats which aims at first establishing duly elected Panchayats of 25 sworn members elected by adult population of 25 thousand a unit of electoral constituency. Every town and village of India can have its own salipanchayat if adult population is less than 25 thousand. The grand Panchayat will be the sovereign legislative body pledged to Non-Cooperation and possessing delegated authority from adult population of every town and village to be its high court and Parliament will have executive judicial and legislative authority from its constituency to be the sole arbiter of all matters concerning them, provided this consummation is achieved without coming into violent conflict with the present Government. The author believes in centralisation of command but maintains that the old system of decentralised administration of smaller units such as Mohallas secures purity of justice and vigilant control of moral discipline of subject. This is the basis of the proposed scheme of the Panchayat. The establishment of arbitration courts and the raising and governing volunteer corps are salient features of the scheme. The author firmly believes in immediate self organisation and insists on prompt measures, propagandist and otherwise to be taken in this respect as nothing but a simultaneous working a practical constructive programme can insure success of Non-Coperation and ultimate attainment of complete swaraj. He has discussed this scheme with the leaders of Delhi and other places and they have approved his scheme. He is expecting to publish it shortly.

PROPAGANDA IN SINDH.

THREE MOSLEM CANDIDATES WITHDRAWN.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Hyderabad, Sind Oct. 5.

The following is a series of meeting held at Mirpurkhas, Sukkur and Shikarpur. Two meetings were held at Larkana where a resolution was passed urging all candidates to withdraw and all voters to refrain from voting at the Larkana Panchyat which had originally decided to support a particular candidate. Three Mahomedan candidates from Hyderabad Sind, Mr. Kazi Abdul Kayum, Mr. Mahmood, pleader, and Mr. Abduf Latir have withdrawn from council election. The Sind Khilafat Committee has distributed fifty thousand copies of an appeal to voters urging them to refrain from voting.

THE LOKMANYA.

BOMBAY'S PUBLIC MEETING.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir—It was reported, the other day, in the "Chronicle," that a requisition was being sent round requesting the Sheriff to call a public meeting of the citizens of Bombay in the Town Hall to express sorrow at the death of Lok. Tilak. Nothing further is heard of the move ment. Will the Fathers of the city rise to the occasion and do early justice to the memory of the Pioneer of Indian Nationalism"? Yours. etc.

M. D. Tembe,
Kundgol (Darwar

INDIAN STUDENTS DEPORTED TO ANDAMANS.

SERIOUS ALLEGATION.

The "Hindu" published the following in its issue of 24th September:—

The following cable dated Allahabad, August 17, appears in the American daily paper, the "New York Call":—

"One hundred young men, many of them students, have just passed through Allahabad by special train, being transported to the Andaman Islands, the Siberia of India.

The news of the arrival of the train reached the editor of "Bhavishya", a vernacular paper, only by chance. All India had been kept in the darkness concerning the exiling of the young men. A reporter of the staff of the newspaper rushed to the station, there to find a conspicuously dark compartment attached to the six down passenger from the Punjab, which had shortly before steamed into the station.

It was found that 100 men were packed into the dark compartment. From behind the windows they told their horrible tale to the reporter and to a crowd of people who gathered, despite the efforts of the police to beat them off. It was learned that the men were all politicals from Upper India.

The compartment is normally fitted up for 38 men, but that 100 had been jammed into the dark hole. Among the men were three Punjab students, new graduates, Jai Ram Singh, Raja Ram and Manchar Singh.

Full information could not be obtained, owing to the confusion on the platform, the shouting of the police, and the desperate attempts of the prisoners to describe their situation.

Many of the prisoners, they said, were sick and were suffering terribly. There was no urinal in the compartment. All men were thirsty and there was no provision for water. They were fed but once since leaving the Punjab, and then the food was filthy and had been thrown in through the windows. No water at all had been given to them.

Women and men crowded about the dark little windows, weeping and struggling while a few police beat them away. Many attempted to induce the authorities to detach the compartment. The station master and all authorities who could be reached refused.

The men, they said, were politicals and could not be touched. The train slowly moved away from the platform, the police pulling men, who, weeping, shouting and desperate, clung to the windows.

From the dark depths of the compartment came the shout of 100 voices, "Vande Mataram!" ("Hail Motherland!")

The allegations contained in the cablegram above, it is perhaps needless to say, are so serious that the matter needs to be thoroughly enquired into at once and an authoritative repudiation or correction of the same published.

Madras, October 2.

Commenting on the Esher Committee's report the "Madras Mail", with regard to the general staff view that the Commander in Chief in India should be more directly in touch with the Chief of Imperial General Staff, says:—It is not difficult to foresee complications likely to arise from this arrangement under the reforms scheme.

INDIAN ATHLETES FOR OLYMPIC GAMES.

COMPLAINTS OF NEGLECT.

Some time ago we published a letter from a London Correspondent, who strongly complained about the treatment meted out to the Indian athletes sent out of India, for the first time, to represent this country at the Olympic sports. Since then we have received some more letters on the subject which tell the same tale. The Six Indian Athletes, who have now returned to England from the Olympic games at Antwerp, have requested "India" to publish the subjoined statement, which, says "India", they do after having questioned them as to details. We print below in full their statement as presented to "India.":—

The Olympic games are now over and the Indian competitors have returned to London from Antwerp full of grievances and complaints against the management of the team.

During their short stay in London, previous to their departure for Belgium, the competitors say they went through a very trying time. They allege that the officers in charge seemed little concerned about their welfare and failed to rise to the responsibility placed upon them. They complain that their diet was insufficient and their vitality reduced through want of proper nourishment and consequent ill-health.

The competitors left for Belgium on August 10, most of them in poor health and devoid of enthusiasm. When they arrived at Antwerp they found that they would have to live in unpleasant little tin sheds about seven miles from the town. Roughly speaking, the tin sheds were five feet in height and twenty feet in length and were built in little groups. The shed allotted to the Indian competitors was situated near a murky pond which the doctors declared to be unhealthy and malarial and totally unsuited to athletes. The zinc roofing of the hut made it uncomfortable for the dwellers during days when the sun shone in its summer warmth, and on chilly days when the competitors were shivering with cold they were refused coal for a fire. They were religiously visited every night by those disgusting wandering minstrels "the mosquitoes." The sanitary arrangements were most objectionable.

The officers in charge took little interest in the team, and the athletes were not informed as to the particular hour when the competitors were to make their appearance—with the result that two wrestling entries were cancelled. The competitors very often took their chance and with great difficulty managed to keep in touch with the programme drawn up for the games.

The competitors were at an immense disadvantage owing to their inability to understand or express themselves in any of the languages spoken in Belgium. On one occasion, on their way to the Stadium to witness the games, the officers in charge seemed suddenly to discover that some of the competitors were not well dressed enough to go in the midst of the competitors. "You look like Indians," they remarked, forgetting for the moment their own nationality. Consequently some of the competitors, who were left midway between the Stadium and the camp found their way back to the huts after a great deal of difficulty. These are only a few of the innumerable grievances that the competitors have against their officers. They sincerely hope that in years to come the team will meet with better treatment under well-chosen officers—men who will enthusiastically carry out the responsibilities and fulfil the duties that India places upon them when she sends over her team of future to compete in the great International games.

A word of thanks, must be offered to the medical officer of the camp, Capt. G. B. Taylor, at whose hands the Indian competitors met with much kindness and sympathy while they were being neglected by their own officers.

CALCUTTA SHARE MARKET.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Oct. 5.

The market to-day opened with a quiet tone and with little disposition shown on the part of buyers to operate later in the afternoon owing to rise in Hessian market. A better feeling set in and prices re-acted in sellers favour. In the coal section there was not quite so much inquiry but prices were steady with few sellers. Jute shares early in the day were quiet but later in the afternoon quotations generally improved. In the miscellaneous section cotton after opening dull advanced in price but eased off somewhat towards the close. Sugar shares were in small demand at firm votes.

The following were the closing quotations:—

Coal:—Bagdighi Kumaja 21, Bengal 850, Bengal Nagpur 69/8, Burrakur 58/8, Standard 85.

Jute:—Anglo-India 515, Alliance 625, Auckland 462/6, Century 10, Clive 403, Dalhousie 795, Fort William 566, Howrah 64/4, Kamarhatty 1,143, Kanknarrah 848, Kelwin 1,407, Lansdowne 563, Lawrence 1045, Northbrook 108/8, Waverley 16/4.

Miscellaneous:—Bank of Bengal 1,940, British India Tobacco 9, Dunbar Cotton 563, Frank Ross (Calcutta) 12/4, Hatirkool Oil 15, Hume Pipe 15, Indian Iron and Steel (old) 96, Indo Burmah Tin 5, Keshoram Cotton 17/9, Marshall Sons & Co. (Ind'a 10/8 New Sawan Sugar 15, Somasipore Sugar 20/4.

Goverament paper three and a half per cent was quoted at Rs. 58/8, small los at Rs. 58/12 and War Bonds short loans 96/8, 1925 98/4 and 1928 98/12 per cent.

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WORLD PROPAGANDA FOR INDIA.

The crimes that were committed against the people in the Punjab but yesterday, the snake of repression which is raising its head to strike throughout India to-day, the denial of our ordinary rights as civilised human beings, the exploitation of a whole nation and the evil of a system which Mr. Montagu described as wooden and unserviceable—are facts which should make our countrymen pause before they, lightheartedly, abandon even the least powerful methods for the eradication of the evils which, like a storm of locusts, infest this unhappy land. For internal purposes we have unhesitatingly recommended the creation of powerful central organisations which would fuse the disintegrated energies of the people and remain for all time effective instruments for the expression of the popular will. For external purposes we recommend Lokmanya Tilak's idea which had as its basis the formation of Publicity Bureaux in all the principal countries of the world. Does it seem superfluous at this hour to emphasise the importance of world-wide publicity in Indias' cause? We think not. As an instance we take the report that the All-India Congress Committee, which has been exceedingly long and unbusinesslike in witholding its report from the public, has turned down Mr. Patel's plea for the formation of Publicity Boards not only in the United Kingdom but also in America. Mr. Kelkar's definite proposal for the collection of a fund of fifteen lakhs "to be spent entirely in the work of active political propaganda in foreign countries found no favour." Such proposals, it was urged, with a display of unnecessary technical formalism, were outside the scope of the Sub-Committee's terms of reference! We should have thought that if any subject needed the immediate and close attention of the leaders it was the question of propoganda. Instead, some gave the idea a cold shoulder and others came to the mature conclusion that money spent in enlightening the world as to the reality of our wrongs might be better employed if it were cast into the waves of the Indian Ocean! It is no exaggeration to say that the world thinks the thoughts which its preachers, papers and propogandists beat out for it day in and day out.

Nor is it an exaggeration to assert that no system howsoever powerful can exist for long, without the support of public opinion. Why was Great Britain during the war so careful as to send her best men—men like Gilbert Murray, Lord Grey, Arthur Balfour, and Prince Arthur to America or to Scandinavia, or to Japan? Solely because Great Britain realised the importance of propaganda, whose seeds carefully sown, would bring in a rich harvest as it undoubtedly did, of support and good-will. American entry into the war was a triumph of Allied propaganda in the States. Greece was won over by the Allies and Turkey by the Central Powers as much by lavish promises as by pamphlets. When the cause of Irish independence became, instead of a futile dream of some lovely patriot, a battle-cry for the whole Irish race, throughout the world, it was an achievement which was the result of insistent and relentless propaganda. Look at Russia. The Bolshevik believes in the efficacy of leaflets rather than in the capacity of Lewis guns—and who is there to deny that the leaflet is perhaps more powerful? Every Government in the world is afraid of propaganda. In past times they were content with the use of the weapons of coercion and repression. To-day they supplement these weapons not merely by an unashamed propaganda of fact diluted with fiction but equally by a ruthless blockade of truth. Witness the ceaseless persecution of "The Daily Herald" by Mr Lloyd George who, with pious horror, talks about the infamy of its deals in Bolshevik gold forgetting the huge scandal of his own deals in Marconi shares. "The Daily Herald" has stood firm as an upholder of the rights of the workers of the world. Truth has always been in the vanguard of its propaganda, but those who consider truth more dangerous than trinitrotuoline, having tried and failed with threats of coercion and repression, thought that they would succeed with insidious propaganda which raises the irrelevent cry of Bolshevik gold in peace as it raised the fear-stricken cry of German gold in war. It has begun to dawn upon Europe that propaganda is more useful than all the bullets and all the laws and all the prisons. But how far are we from the realisation of this central fact? Lokmanya Tilak and Lala Lajpat Rai have shewn us the way. With their inspiration before them Messrs. Patel and Kelkar have drafted schemes which, with the necessary modifications, will appeal not only to every businessman who realises the immense value of advertisement but to every politician who believes that propaganda has been tried and never found wanting. No one would be so foolish as to deny the importance attaching either to Lokmanya Tilak's deputation to England or to the work of the Khilafat delegates in Europe or to the efforts being made by the Indian Government to keep the light out, on the one hand, by proscribing a truth and, on the other, by deputing its nominees to set the world wise with regard to Indian aspirations.

It is necessary for us to gain the sympathy of all honest men in our struggles for the achievement of our liberty. It is necessary for us to counteract the piosonous propaganda of our antagonists who will not fail to point to this poverty-stricken country as if it were a land flowing with milk and honey, and our pestilence-ridden cities as if they were veritable El Dorados. Our name stinks to-day in the nostrils of all the subjugated races of the world which have been given a taste of Indian bayonets. The peoples of Europe are sick of war and tired of their militarist Governments. But so long as they can make India or Africa bleed for the sake of capitalist aggrandisement the militarist Governments need have no fear. India can be turned into a "military farm" so that her manhood can be used for the conversion of the mandatory territories into other such farms while, as Lala Lajpat Rai said, the menace to Indian liberty is thus strengthened and more fetters fashioned for its feet. Is it not worth while informing these unfortunate people against whom our soldiery is being recklessly employed that the real India has no part or lot in the perpetuation of this infamy? Is it not worth while calling upon the world which lives by the sweat of the Indian worker's brow to take heed of the morrow, lest it should forget its own clear guilt? It will not be in vain to call upon the workers of the world to show their sense of brotherhood and comaraderie to the exploited workers of India. Nor will it be in vain to appeal to the world's intelligentsia or that part of it which is not definitely drunk with the mad lust of Imperialism. In Europe they have not slept over their wrongs. "Clarte" has gathered into its organisation such varied personalities as Anatole France, and Dr. Rabindranath Tagore, and "Clarte" fights with is powerful manifestoes for suffering and exploited humanity against the octopus of a vile and ruthless system of exploitation. The time has come for Indian leaders to realise that it is madness and folly to sleep over the inquity of our wrongs. We should make the world ring with our sufferings. Incidentally we should not forget that there is a vast difference between a world-wide propaganda and the slavish petitioning habit of going hat in hand to catch the ear of some power-proud politician. What Egypt has achieved, what Ireland may achieve, what every religion, creed or philosophy teaches us can be achieved, should not be out of reach for the workers in the cause of Indian freedom. When the "Pall Mall Gazette," for once displaying its sanity, advises the Imperial Government to face the facts and revise their Indian policy, it is true to realise that this golden opportunity offered to Indian propangandists in England should not be wasted because of some foolish mad-cap idea about self-reliance.. Why, Sinn Fein means literally "we ourselves" but Sinn Fein has, next to Bolshevism, set the pace in world-wide propaganda. Lokmanya Tilak's vision should not be treated lightly. It was not the vision of a mad man. It was the vision of a realist who had seen the efficacy of propagandist methods in actual working order in Europe and had believed that his country should not remain one hundred years behind the times but rather fight modern bureaucracies with modern weapons of publicity and propaganda. Let us be true to his vision. Islam has no country, Labour has no country, and the cause of humanity is the same the world over. Let us look beyond the boundaries of this continent and realise that even in our wrongs as much as in our ideals we are one with the wronged and struggling peoples of earth.

CAPITAL AND LABOUR.

The hard words which Mr. Jehangir Petit, the out-going chairman of the Indian Merchants' Chamber, had to use against the suicidal character of the policy which had found favour in the eyes of the Government of India till but the other day in regard to the sale of Council Bills, were in no way undeserved. In spite of the enormous losses which the Indian exchequer has sustained and the deleterious effect on the movements of trade and exchange which the insensate policy of the high-priests of Indian finance has brought about, the latter pretend to be still unrepentent and unconcernedly announce that they will resume the sale of the reverse councils whenever they deem it necessary. We take this to be downright bluff and nothing else. Nevertheless, as Mr. Petit has pointed out, the folly of the Simla experts has cost the country to the tune of 30 to 31 crores of rupees apart from the disastrous effects indirectly inflicted on India's foreign trade. It is to be hoped that the change in front recently become evident really betokens the dawning of sanity both in Simla and the India Council. Mr. Petit laid the finger on the right spot when he expressed the opinion that India's economic development on right lines could be secured only by the appointment of competent Indians in charge of the Commerce and Industry Department of the Government of India and of the provincial departments of industries throughout the country and by according to this country full fiscal freedom. Till these two objects are secured, India will remain the victim of foreign exploitation which she has been all these years. The appointment of Sir William Meyer as India's High Commissioner in England, cannot, therefore, be viewed as an unmixed blessing. India's real interests can only be represented by an Indian and it is a misfortune that a non-Indian should have been selected for this responsible post. Mr. Petit reiterated the emphatic protest of his Chamber against the "jobbery" of the Khapoli Tail Water monopoly and it is to be hoped that this protest will at least prevent a repetition of such scandals in the future.

We need not enter here into Mr. Petit's diatribes against the non-co-operation movement initiated by Mr. Gandhi and adopted by the national assembly. Only the test of time will enable any impartial observer to pronounce the final verdict. The country is definitely committed to non-co-operation and no useful purpose can be served by sapient words of caution now uttered by persons who are standing aloof from the fray. We fail, however, to find the least justification for Mr. Petit's fatuous outburst against strikers and their friends. This outburst comes with ill-grace from one who is a large employer of labour himself. Or, are we to take it that Mr. Petit in spite of all his professions of democratic sympathies, cannot forget that he was born with a silver spoon and that it is very disturbing to his self-complacence to see others less favoured by fortune than himself demanding what ought to be rightfully their but has been wrongfully withheld from them? Does Mr. Petit honestly believe that a mere pittance of Rs. 25 or even Rs. 30 ought to satisfy a worker of to-day, with several other mouths to feed beside his own? Does he think that the Indian worker is well off as he is and that it is a crime to tell him that he need not consider himself as a mere chattel to be thrown away on the scrap-heep when his employer finds no further use of him? Mr. Petit has only betrayed how very little there is to distinguish the capitalist exploiter of Labour of Western countries from his counterpart in this country and his abuse of the labourers will only steel them in their fight for their just rights which are being denied to them by the capitalistic classes.

Notes of the Day.

Lord Morley on Ireland.

The murders continue. Peace is as distant as ever. Ireland is swinging pendulum-like from coercion to retaliation from retaliation to coercion. Following swiftly upon the heels of Lord Grey's protest against the policy of the Cabinet owards Ireland—which is merely the policy of despair and bankrupt statesmanship—comes a letter addressed to "The Times" by that veteran and inveterate Liberal, Lord Morley. "He points out that it is the worst fatuity to forget that a long spell of coercion which the Ministers seem to contemplate, means that a whole generation will be born and brought up in an association bitterly hostile to Egland." Does any body deny it? Except, of course, the fatuous Sir Edward, still rattling the swords which he smuggled into Ireland from Germany when, just on the eve of war, Home Rule was threatened for Ireland. The present Government have created the blackest record of any with regard to Ireland. They have laid the fourth of Ireland, over which they still have some semblance of control, waste with the reprisals carried out by the military and the armed police. This is not Government at all. This is the negation of all Government. This is not Law and Order. This is pure, undiluted reckless anarchy parading under the guise of Law and Order.

Ireland and India.

And all the while the world is watching silently and with indignation this tragic drama of the suppression of a brave nation's liberties. But although the world watches silently its vigilance never relaxes. It is reported that in America the grave issues raised by the imprisonment of the Lord Mayor of Cork are putting in the shade such questions of tremendous importance to the country as the Presidential contest. In this America is teaching the world a lesson in the brotherhood of man. Even Lord Morley, in his wise old age, is not forgetful of the consequences of Irish coercion to England in the eyes of the world and in particular in the eyes of India. He says:

"However much we differ as regards the utility of coercion to law and order, there is no question of its bearing on our national credit and character, for example, in India where in these feverish days the standing common impression of our devotion to the sovereign principle of justice and equal law is the living asset of British power."

He has, we are afraid, failed to read the signs aright as to the feeling prevailing in India concerning the British sense of justice. We have no illusions on that score. Ireland teaches us but one more lesson in disillusionment—Ireland, which, like India, is denied her freedom after the lavish pledges made by statesmen who talked glibly in the hour of their peril about principles of self-determination and the freedom of small nationalities!

French Fury in Syria.

The following telegram from Rachid Rida, President of the Syrian Congress, who is now at Cairo, is published by an English contemporary:—

"Syrians are struck with consternation on learning of the systematic devastation by the French troops of the agricultural province of Hauran, the granary of Syria. Aeroplanes are destroying whole villages, and women and children are being massacred without pity.

"We appeal to the civilised world to protest against this savagery, which engenders ever more bitter hate."

Who will listen to this appeal?

Councillorships Going Abegging.

The European and "Anglo-Indian" communities which have been favoured with as many as eighteen seats in the Bengal Legislative Council—a representation out of all proportion either to their numerical strength or their influence—seem to be at a loss to find out suitable "representatives" who would fill these seats. Apart from the members of the Committee of the Bengal Chamber of Commerce, non-Europeans and Anglo-Indians in Bengal, who take genuine and sustained interest in Indian politics and who would be prepared to make the necessary sacrifices for the sake of the honours of the legislative chamber, may be counted on the fingers of one's hand. This fact is becoming more and more obvious everyday and the reluctance of really capable and representative Europeans to stand as candidates is driving the wire-pullers of the European Association of Calcutta, the self-chosen custodians of European interests, to desperation. The Calcutta correspondent of the "Pioneer" laments that the hundreds who joined the Association when the Reforms were first "threatened", have since fallen away. An attempt to whip up enthusiasm was recently made and a special appeal to European women was addressed to fill up the thinned ranks. A special meeting was also held last Tuesday to nominate three "representatives" to the Council, but evidently none of the three individuals named have won the approval of the community at large. They are a Baptist Missionary, a Zemindary manager and a Solicitor. A correspondent of "The Statesman" says none of these three gentlemen is either representative or suitable. The missionary, if he follows his high calling to the best of his ability, will find little time to dabble in politics. The Zemindary manager, says the correspondent, cannot be independent, because he has to keep in the good books of the Collector, while the solicitor is objectionable because of his "too elastic conscience." One need not, however, dwell on the qualifications of these worthies, because we are told that the meeting at which their nominations were to be finally decided upon, came to an abrupt termination owing to the striking up of the National Anthem, just when the suggestion was being made that the meeting should appoint a committee to consider the claims of the candidates willing to stand!

A Threatened Nuisance.

We are astonished at the peculiar view of their responsibilities which our City Fathers occasionally take. On Monday they had before them a proposition moved by Mr. Haveliwala suggesting that the Corporation should ascertain from the Commissioner of Police hether a license to locate a new theatre—probably a cinema theatre—at the junction of Girgaum and Charni Roads, opposite the Portuguese Church, is proposed to be given and that the Corporation should represent to the Commissioner the undesirability of establishing a theatre in that locality. Some of the speakers advanced the strange, and to us, preposterous, view that it was no business of the Corporation to concern itself with such matters and the proposition, on the strength of this view, was throw nout. In view of the existence, in quite close proximity, of a largely patronised picture-house and four or five other theatres not very far from the proposed site, and in view also of the fact that there is a church opposite the site and the congestion of traffic at the junction in question is already unbearable and getting out of control, is it not the duty of the Corporation to take into consideration all these matters and if it consider that an additional picture-house at the place is wholly undesirable, to represent to the Commissioner accordingly? Is the Corporation so entirely unconcerned regarding the condition and location of places of amusements in the city and the state of traffic at particular places that it should wash its hands of all responsibility in regard to the setting up of a new theatre at a place where it is not wanted for more than one reason? We regret to have to observe that the Corporators have entirely misconceived their responsibilities in his matter. They have left the discretion to inflict the nuisance or not on the public of Girgaum to the Commissioner of Police, who is amenable to no public control at all. Though the Commissioner is thus left free to do as he likes, we hope he will withhold sanction to the erection of a new theatre in view of the strong local feeling against the project. Moreover, there are districts in Bombay, like Parel and Mazagon, where the public are provided with no cinemas or other places of amusement, while Girgaum and Grant Road are overburdened with these houses. Is it not conducive to real public weal that by withholding sanction to the erection of additional theatres in the latter localities, the Commissioner of Police should help to divert the attention of theatre-proprietors to the localities which remain unprovided with houses of amusement?

The Health of Poona.

At the last meeting of the Bombay Legislative Council, the Hon. Mr. Kamat moved a resolution asking Government to inquire into the causes of high mortality and general unhealthiness prevailing in the Poona city. When last time Mr. Kamat asked the question, Government would not admit any responsibility. They tried to treat the whole matter lightly and said that the complaints of the Poona people had not much substance in them and that they were made by all the cities which had for the first time new drainage system. But now Government themselves admit that the drainage system introduced by Mr. Mandy was very defective. There is a good deal of leakage of water which renders the health of the city very bad. The medical inspection of thousands of students carried on by thirty doctors, reveals a state of affairs which requires to be urgently attended to. It is the duty of Government to take up the question in right earnest. Mr. Curtis wrongly argued that the Municipality should do its duty first. The appointment of a Health Officer will not solve the question and there is already a Health Officer. The drainage system, so to say, was forced upon the Municipality, Government carried out the works and they would not hand over the works to the Municipality for a long time. The grave defects in the drainage system have made Poona a plague-spot. Are Government going to sit with folded hands? The Poona Municipality is not a very rich Corporation. The city has to thank Government for the gift of Mandy fever and Government as the party responsible should take all possible steps to improve the health of the city. Government are not doing a great favour, as Mr. Curtis seemed to imply; it is their clear duty to make good the defects discovered by Mr. Watson in the drainage system and they should bear the expense. The Municipality and Government should work together and restore Poona, the Queen of Maharashtra, to her original health.

Additional High Schools.

The Hon. Mr. Pathan inquired when and where the five additional High Schools, for which a lakh of rupees had been earmarked in the Budget, would be started. Government were ready with their stereotyped reply that the matter was "under consideration." The proposal of the Director of Public Instruction for the utilisation of the provision of one lakh have been received and they are under the consideration of Government. It is ominous that Government are not more definite in their reply. They do not allude to new High Schools at all. Is any change of policy intended? When exactly was the announcement made that High Schools would be started in the rural acreas? What has the Director been doing all the while? How long do Government require to come to a decision about the rival merits of places selected for the location of new High Schools? And by the time they come to a decision, where will they be? They will be nowhere and the Minister will take charge of the Department. It makes the delay of Government all the more inexcusable.

Game Laws in Kanara.

The Hon. Rao Bahadur V. S. Naik had an interesting question on the grant of gun licenses in Kanara revealing the strange methods followed by the local officials in defeating the good intentions of Government. Mr. Naik asked whether licenses granted for crop protection were cancelled in 1919 and 1920 on the ground that the required number of pigs' tails were not produced by the licensees and very naturally he wanted to know under what law this condition precedent had been imposed. The licensees have no special kindness for pigs. They are not likely to spare them and if anything comes in the way of their destruction, it is the game laws of Government prohibiting the people to hunt in the reserved forest. Latterly, it is said, unrestricted pig hunting has been allowed in the forests lying to the west of a fanciful line drawn by the forest officials. It is rightly objected that the area thrown open has no cover and that it is not the haunt of wild pigs. The concession is worse than useless and so long as people are not allowed to hunt in the forests proper and so long as game is held sacred to be shot down only by Europeans, the restriction of pigs' tails, if enforced, will mean that crops will be left without protection. So far from any license being cancelled, they should be very liberally issued, specially to those belonging to castes and tribes accustomed to hunting and shikar parties should be organised and a regular campaign should be carried on. The first and foremost thing is the cancellation of game laws.

It is understood Mr. Syud Hossain and Mr. Brakway have been appointed joint Editors of "India" since October 1.

COERCION IN IRELAND

CONDEMNED BY LORD MORLEY

GRAVE WARNING TO CABINET

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 4.
Recd. 1-30 p.m., Oct. 5.

Lord Morley, formerly Secretary of State for Ireland, in a long letter to "The Times" says that the enormity to which the policy of reprisals has gone can no longer be concealed. He points out that it is the worst fatuity to forget that a long spell of coercion which the Ministers seem to contemplate, means that the whole generation will be born and brought up, in an association bitterly hostile to England. Everybody is agreed that Home Rule of some sort or other is inevitable, but good feeling, between the Irish and the British peoples, is essential to make it work. However much we differ as regards the utility of coercion to law and order, there is no question of its bearing on our national credit and character for example in India where in these feverish day the standing common impression of our devotion to the sovereign principle of justice and equal law is the living asset of British power.

REPRISALS BY POLICE AND MILITARY.

CONDEMNED BY DUBLIN CASTLE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 2.
Recd. 12-45 p.m., Oct. 5.

A circular issued from Dublin Castle to police officials in Ireland says that the press reports of reprisals by police and military are generally misleading and often represent acts of justifiable self-defence as reprisals, but there are cases where unjustifiable action has undoubtedly been taken. These cases are being carefully investigated.

Meanwhile, it is necessary to emphasise that reprisals cannot be countenanced by those in authority. The great provocation under which the men suffer who see their comrades and friends foully murdered, is fully recognised but the police are urged to maintain, despite provocation, self-control, which has characterised the force in past. The police force exists to restore and maintain order and destriction of buildings and institutions cannot but impoverish the country and increase want and disorder.

IRISH HOME RULE BILL.

"OBSERVER" ON LORDS' ATTITUDE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 3.
Recd. 5-10 p.m. Oct. 5.

The "Observer" declares that the Government is resolved to adhere to the main feature of the Home Rule Bill, namely, establishment of two parallel legislatures in Dubin and Belfast linked by a joint Council.

Th "Observer" expresses the opinion in this connection that the Lords in their present mood are likely to week the bill; therefore it is not impossible that Mr. Balfour will be urged to make the greatest sacrifice to patriotism by going to the House of Lords in the interest of the Irish policy.

A POLICEMAN KILLED.

FIERCE BOMB AND RIFLE ATTACK

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 4.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., Oct. 5.

A crop of fresh outrages in Ireland marked the week-end. One policeman was killed and several were injured in Cork. The soldiers were fired on in Dublin. A sergeant was wounded with a rifle in a raid upon a Unionist farmer at Carrickmacross, County Monoghan, when the Sinn Feiners shot the farmer when the door was opened. His condition is very critical.

Fierce bomb and rifle attack was made upon the French Park barracks, County Roscommon, and was ultimately beaten off. Many raiders were wounded.

The death-roll in Belfast since July amounts to sixty-five.

LYONS FAIR INAUGURATED,

CABINET MINISTERS PRESENT.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL SERVICE.)

PARIS, Oct. 2.
Recd. 1-30 p.m., Oct. 5.

The Havas Agency states:—The Ministe of Commerce and two other Cabinet Ministers left to-day for Lyons to inaugurate the yearly fair which starts to-morrow. Several foreign commercial missions and many prominent French and foreign merchants are already there.

Oct. 3.

The fair was inaugurated to-day. A lunch was given at the Lyons Chamber of Commerce in honour of distinguished visitors.

ESHER REPORT.

MR. MONTAGU EXPLAINS.

NO TRANSFER OF CONTROL TO WAR OFFICE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 3.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., Oct. 5.

The leader which was published in "The Times" yesterday on the Esher Report, has evoked a communiqué from the India Office. The latter quotes an extract from a leader in which "The Times", referring to the proposals to transfer military authority to the War Office, says that their effect "is the negation of Constitutional Government. It is entirely destructive of the fundamental principle that in military matters civil power shall be supreme. The amazing thing is that Mr. Montagu has seen fit without consulting Parliament to approve these subversive projects."

The communiqué also quotes the following passage:—"The converse proposition that India is now to prepare to engage in unnamed operations in perpetuity outside her shores will produce a shout of indignant remonstrance in India. It should never have been advanced. Mr. Montagu should never have accepted it."

The communiqué says that the ground on which Mr. Montagu's approval of the arrangements and acceptance of the proposition are asserted, is presumably contained in the Esher Committee's letter of May 19th, 1920, covering Part Two of the Report which reads as follows:—

"The proposals made by us in Part One being mainly approved by you, we in Part Two have attempted to deal with the difficult question of supply, etc."

The communiqué continues:—The extent of the approval which the Government accorded to the Report was, however, a general favourable disposal towards it, subject to such changes as may be required to bring it into a line with the existing constitutional relations. No final decision was to be given on Part One, as a whole, till the remaining portion was submitted to the Government. The Government has not yet considered the complete Report. Indeed Mr. Montagu has not yet fully considered the Government of India's views on the Report. The sentence quoted from the covering letter to Part Two conveys therefore the idea of a more complete approval than was intended. There is, in particular, no intention whatever of parting with the constitutional supremacy of civil power or of transferring the control of the Army in India from the Government of India to the War Office.

LAHORE PRESS COMMENTS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LAHORE, Oct. 1.

Commenting on the Esher Committee's Report, the "Tribune" writes:—Is it a fact that the recommendations of the Government of India on this report were despatched to the Secretary of State in the beginning of this month? If so, it is obvious that the publication of the Report cannot possibly serve the only useful purpose which such publications are expected to serve—that of influencing the decision of the ultimate authority. The Government of India having already had their say and the Secretary of State's views being well known, there will be nothing for the Cabinet to do except to say ditto to Burke. Thus, the general public is practically not to have even the usual satisfaction of having its opinions considered by the authorities.

The "Civil and Military Gazette" pays a tribute to the prevailing sanity and clarity which distinguishes the report as a whole.

TRADE DEPRESSION IN ENGLAND.

UNEMPLOYMENT INCREASED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 4.
Recd. 1-30 p.m., Oct. 5

It would appear that trade depression is setting in more quickly than was anticipated. The Phoenix Steel Works, Sheffield, have issued a notification of retrenchment of a thousand workers owing to shortage of orders. Other manufacturers are said to be taking similar action shortly. There are three thousand workers, principally seamen, unemployed in Cardiff. Considerable unemployment is reported in Black Country. Hundreds of operatives were discharged on October 2nd.

DEVASTATING TYPHOON STRIKES TOKIO & YOKOHAMA

HEAVY DEATH ROLL FEARED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 3.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., Oct. 5.

Tokio, Oct. 1.—The edge of a typhoon struck Tokio and Yokohama last night. Considerable damage was done, many houses being demolished and the low-lying areas flooded. It is feared that the death-roll is heavy. The police and the firemen performed many gallant rescues from the tops of the houses in darkness amid rushing water and drifting timber. The electrical services failed. The apprehensions of a tidal wave added to popular terror.

REPORTED DISORDERS IN RUSSIA.

APPEAL TO TSARIST OFFICERS.

GENERAL WRANGEL'S FRESH "SUCCESSES."

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 3.
Recd. 1-30 p.m., Oct. 5.

The French Foreign Office attributes the greatest importance to the reported disorders in Russia. Semi-official statements indicate that the Soviet is exposed to the most serious danger yet experienced.

Brusiloff on behalf of the Soviet is calling on the former Tsarist officers to rally to the Red Army. The massacres of the Commissaries attached to the armies are occurring daily. Two hundred Commissaries have taken refuge in Germany including the notorious hangman, Peters. It is reported that Trotsky has been wounded in street conflicts.

Meanwhile General Wrangel is gaining fresh successes owing to his policy of winning the confidence of the peasants by granting title-deeds to land. General Wrangel surrounded the Soviet cavalry at Volnovaka and took eleven hundred prisoners. He has also captured the Nagaisk and Padiansk ports on the Sea of Azof. The Russian peasant leader, General Makhno, who has thrown in his lot with General Wrangel announces the capture of Marefa in the Donetz valley and the annihilation of a Red division.

BOLSHEVIK REGIME.

ALLEGED CRISIS AND UNPRECEDENTED FAMINE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 4.
Recd. 1-30 p.m., Oct. 5.

The "Manchester Guardian's" special correspondent at Riga confirms the reports that the Bolshevik regime has reached the most extreme crisis it has known. The Polish war which was most popular is now unpopular and the people would even accept the second Brest-Litovsk from the Poles, but everybody is convinced of the impossibility of an alternative government at the present juncture. The country is threatened with an unprecedented famine. Consequently the Soviet leaders are concentrating everything against General Wrangel in order to prevent him cutting off the Kuban's grain supplies and Donetz coal, whilst the Poles will be allowed to exhaust themselves in the winter campaign in the country that is practically a desert.

SOVIET FORCES SAID TO BE DEMORALISED.

THREATENING LABOUR SITUATION

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 4.
Recd. 1-30 p.m., Oct. 5.

Although sensational reports from Helsingfors with regard to the situation in Russia are not yet confirmed, the Finnish frontier reports indicate that great anxiety is prevailing in the Soviet circles. Both on the Polish front and in the Crimea, the Red forces are demoralised by hunger and are surrendering or deserting.

Trotsky's efforts to recruit new forces in Siberia and the Eastern provinces have failed, while the labouring classes in Moscow and Petrograd, if they have not actually declared a general strike, are a threatening one and are pillaging the factories. It must be remembered that authentic news from Russia is always scanty owing to terrorism and the strictest control of visitors ever devised.

POLISH-LITHUANIA ARMISTICE.

CONCLUSION ANNOUNCED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 4.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., Oct. 5.

Warsaw.—The Polish-Lithuanian armistice has been concluded. The demarcation line is not yet known.

"SMASHING SUCCESSES" BY POLES

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 3.
Recd. 12-45 p.m., Oct. 5.

Warsaw.—The conclusion of the Polish-Lithuanian armistice is just announced. The latest communique recounts smashing successes by the Poles during the past few days against the Bolsheviks and states that pursuing detachments have crossed the river Servez and have occupied Novogrodsk.

The enemy, who was last week before Bielostok, Brest-Litovsk and Lemberg and who was preparing for resumption of the offensive has now been driven back between a hundred and hundred and fifty kilometres and has suffered enormous losses in killed and wounded and has lost a large amount of material. Twenty-six Soviet divisions have been completely or partly destroyed and remnants are retreating. Numerous army records have been captured. During the last engagement 42,000 prisoners were taken 160 guns, 950 machine-guns, 18 armoured cars, seven armoured trains and 2,500 trucks, also aeroplanes, locomotives, motor cars, waggons and munitions.

KHILAFAT DELEGATION

BOMBAY'S WELCOME.

MR. MAHOMED ALI ON NON-COOPERATION.

WOULD WALK ALONG THAT PATH EVEN ALONE.

Under the auspices of the Bombay National Union and the Bombay Branch of the Indian Home Rule League, a public meeting was held at Shantaram's Chawl, Bombay, yesterday to accord a hearty reception to Mr. Mahomed Ali and other members of the Khilafat Deputation. Mr. Joseph Baptista presided, and there was a large attendance. Mr. Mahomed Ali and his colleagues of the Deputation were on arrival received with loud cheering.

Mr. Baptista, opening the proceedings, paid a glowing tribute to the members of the Deputation and particularly to its chief Mr. Mahomed Ali, for the work done by them in Europe. He added the queries put by Mr. Mahomed Ali to the statesmen of Europe, "whether this war was meant to make the world safe for democracy or hypocrisy" and "whether the war to end war was to be succeeded by a peace to end all peace on earth" would ring throughout the world so long as the wrongs of Islam were not redressed and the rights of India were not granted, namely, Swarajya as an integral part of the British Empire.

MR. MAHOMED ALI.

Mr. Mahomed Ali, on rising to address the assembly, received an ovation. He spoke for about an hour and in the course of his speech he recounted what the Deputation had done in Europe. He asked if it was not a shame that the only one Power which spoke out against the Turkish Treaty should have been other than England who had seven crores of Mahoedans as her subjects? It was Italy that supported Turkey at the Peace Conference while M. Millerand was won over to his side by Mr. Lloyd George. Continuing, Mr. Mahomed Ali said that when the Deputation reached England, everybody, whether it was one who sympathised with them or another who was opposed to them, advised them not to threaten England. In reply he told them he did not at all want to use threats. Mr. Fisher, who was at one time his tutor at Cambridge, also told him not to hold out threats. He repeated to Mr. Fisher what he had told others that India did not want to threaten England, but that India did want to warn England and he asked him to choose for him words which would convey the warning without its being a threat and the Deputation would sign the warning. But he asked Mr. Fisher and others to let it be a serious warning that unless her wrongs were redressed India would not rest and would not let England have rest. India did not want bloodshed or mischief or a disturbance of the peace or tranquility of the country, because if the peace and tranquility were gone it was not Mr Lloyd George but the people of India who would have to suffer. He told his English friends that the Indians were not too proud to receive genuine sympathy and help but that whether they assisted the Indians or not, the latter meant to assist themselves. In regard to Non-Cooperation, he said that for himself he would go his way without looking to the right or left to see whether Mr. Jinnah, or Mr. Baptista or Mr. Gandhi was following him or not. He would walk along that path even if he had to walk alone.

Mr. Abul Kasim, another member of the Deputation, briefly addressed the assembly, and a vote of thanks to the Chairman and Mr. Mahomed Ali terminated the proceedings.

FRENCH LABOUR CONGRESS.

ANOTHER SET-BACK FOR EXTREMISTS

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 3.
Recd. 5-10 p.m. Oct. 5.

Paris.—At the Congress of the French General Confederation of Labour, the Extremists suffered another set back when the Congress by 1,478 votes to 602 refused to join the Moscow Internationale.

CABLE ITEMS.

Mr. A. B. Malik, Secretary of the Indian Association in London, has been ordered to pay ten shillings weekly in respect of the child of a French girl refugee in England, to whom, it was alleged, he promised marriage and susbequently deserted.

Mr. H. G. Wells has arrived in Moscow.

STRIKES IN BOMBAY.

ATTEMPTS AT SETTLEMENT.

INDIAN CHAMBER COMMITTEE TO REPRESENT TO D.G.

GAS GLOOM NOT YET OVER.

The situation as regards the Gas and the Postal and Telegraph strikes has not altered, and the two strikes are continuing to the great inconvenience of the public. As regards the Postal and Telegraph strike, it is claimed that fresh recruits are being daily obtained and that the distribution work is showing gradual but decided improvement day by day. This claim may be true to a certain extent but this improvement does not yet seem to have reduced, to any appreciable extent, the great inconvenience from which the public have been suffering for the last fortnight and more. Great hopes of a satisfactory settlement were entertained to result from the visit to Bombay of the Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs, but they have unfortunately not been realised. Neither the Director-General nor the officials of the Bombay Postmen and Telegraph men's Unions have approached each other, both sides apparently remaining firm in the attitude they have taken up, with the result that the strike continues on its course, causing great inconvenience to the public. Apparently, each side is waiting for the other to make overtures in the matter.

INDIAN MERCHANTS EFFORTS.

In view of the deadlock thus reached and the serious inconvenience which the public has consequently to suffer from, the Indian Merchants' Chamber and Bureau have taken up the matter with a view to suggest a possible 'via media' which might lead to a satisfactory settlement of the strike. Yesterday afternoon, the Committee of the Chamber and Bureau met under the presidency of Mr. Lalji Naranji and discussed matters with Messrs. F. J. Ginwala and Dalvi and decided to make a representation to the Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs to remove the deadlock.

The situation regarding the Gas strike also remains unchanged. The General Manager announces that gas making has now been started and he hopes to afford a partial supply shortly, but holds out no hopes of public lighting at present.

APPEAL TO HOME BOARD.

Mr. F. J. Ginwala, Secretary Gas Workers' Union, has sent a cablegram to the Board of Directors, Bombay Gas Company, in London, asserting that the Manager has withdrawn concessions regarding hours of work, leave, holidays and provident fund, and unjustly dismissed eight men the workers consequently striking work on the first instant. Mr. Ginwala has requested the Boards' intervention to avoid a deadlock and public inconvenience.

NO CHANGE IN CITY'S GLOOM.

The roads of the city were dark yesterday night too and pedestrians were bumping against one another as on the previous nights. The vehicle drivers who are experiencing the effects of the gas workers' strike more than any other class of people, were sounding their horns continually and also shouting "hatto, hatto" for the whole flight. The city continues to wear a dismal appearance, to the great disgust of the general public and remarks are heard every where: When shall we see the end of this hedious sight in the much-vaunted "Urbs Prima in India."

The Manager of the Gas Company, in a later notification states, it is now hoped to resume gas supply to-morrow, of which due notification will be given in the daily papers on that day.

OFFER FOR ARBITRATION.

GAS WORKER'S ATTITUDE.

Mr. F. J. Ginwala, Honorary Secretary, Gas Workers' Union has addressed the following letter dated October 4th to the General Manager, Bombay Gas Company, Limited, Bombay:—

Dear Sir,—I beg to inform you that a general meeting of the men was held at Parel on Saturday the 2nd instant, when it was unanimously resolved to empower the Managing Committee to settle all the matters in dispute on behalf of the men. The Managing Committee met twice and they have unanimously come to this conclusion that they cannot advise the men to accept your offer for arbitration only as regards the re-instatement of the eight men and to keep the other questions regarding the Provident Fund, Gratuity, hours of work, Holidays, Leave and Stokers' Hours of work open. Therefore they have unanimously resolved that the men should not resume work unless and until the eight men are reinstated and the other points are conceded.

As regards the said points I am desired by the Managing Committee to inform you that they were already conceded by you and they very much regret that you should still consider that the said points are open for discussion and settlement.

I therefore hope and trust that you will deal with men's case sympathetically and concede their demands without any further delay so as to obviate the great inconvenience the public are put to as well as restore the confidence of the men in you which is at present very much shaken.

D. G.'S ACTIVITIES.

THROWS LIGHT ON WHAT IS NOT "GENERALLY KNOWN."

The Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs, in a press communique, says:—

"With regard to the strike of postmen and menials in Bombay city it does not appear to be generally known that the salaries now sanctioned are those recommended by the Postal Committee. This expert Committee held prolonged and exhaustive investigations into the whole matter of salaries, and the Government of India accepted, without modification, their recommendations as to the staff of postmen and menials."

TO-DAY'S MEETING.

OTHER UNIONS TO THE RESCUE.

To-day (Wednesday) at 6-30 p.m., there will be a mass meeting of all the different Labour Unions of Bombay at Poibavdi, Parel, when it will be resolved to help the Postal strikers in their hour of distress and to contribute a day's wages

WILL CALCUTTA GAS WORKERS STRIKE?

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Oct. 5.

Men employed under the Calcutta Gas Company held a meeting on Sunday, demanding an increased pay. It is apprehended they intend to follow the example of their fellow workers in Bombay, if their demands are not met.

SHORT-LIVED STRIKE AT CALCUTTA MUNITIONS BOARD.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Oct. 5.

The coolies employed in the Munitions Board at the Armenian Ghat went on strike yesterday morning, but on the arrest of the ringleader by the police the strike collapsed and men resumed work without any further trouble.

MILL STRIKE AT BANGALORE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

BANGALORE, Oct. 5.

About 500 employees of the Binny Cotton and Woolen Mills have gone on strike since Monday, demanding better terms.

POSTMEN'S SPECIAL CLAIMS.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—Postmen's special claims are as follows:—

(1) Of all the other public servants, the postman is perhaps the most useful servant of the public.

(2) He is generally regular, honest and civil.

(3) He is an indispensable factor in every civilized State.

(4) Without him, doubt, depression, danger, loss stare us in the face.

(5) His service is not a burden to us, as the military expenditure is.

(6) His service is not a source of dread, as the policeman's is to the poor people.

(7) His service is not causing loss to the people.

(8) Nay, the Postmen serves the Government, serves the people, and yet leaves a substantial surplus as Revenue for the Indian Government.

(9) And yet, while the spending Departments of Government, the Military, the Police, the I.C.S., the I.M.S. and other S's that do more of kicking than serving, are amply remunerated, the subordinate Postal Service, which is an earning department, is denied bare subsistance!

Can Bombay brook this quietly? Have not the postmen petitioned and prayed? Have they not proved to the Committee, that their demand is reasonable? Have they not given notice? Are they not willing to go to arbitration? Can Government drive them to starvation? Bombay should wake up and stir up Simla.—Yours etc.,

BARJORJI FRAMJI BHARUCHA.

MISMANAGEMENT IN TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—I shall feel highly obliged if you will kindly publish the following in your esteemed Paper. A telegram (No. 63295) addressed to me and despatched from Ahmedabad on the 27th September, was received here by the Department on the same date, as there is a postal stamp of the same date, but it was delivered to my man to-day (the 4th October), in the morning, at about 9-30 a.m., though I have been regularly sending my man daily for telegrams and post at the Kalbadevi Post Office. This telegram reads: "No reply of my letter, please come here with yarn samples and makers' original invoices, bought from Eastern Commerce and we wish to purchase some more cases Reply wire." The urgency of this message will thus be clear to the authorities. Now, who will be responsible for the loss sustained by me and the opposite party? Authorities still announce that

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AHMEDABAD LETTER.

NON-CO-OPERATION FORGING AHEAD.

40 STUDENTS WITHDRAW FROM GUJERAT COLLEGE.

(From our own Correspondent.)

AHMEDABAD Oct. 2

We are certainly living through wondrous times. Even cold and calculating Ahmedabad has thrown off for the moment its indifference and is full awake to its duty enjoined by the adoption of Non-Co-operation by the country. The very depths of the society are stirred and the campaign is so very spiritual with some that they live in it only. A sort of intoxication has seized upon them and under its pure inspiration they are led on to the path of sacrifice and duty. Everybody, high or low, whether living in a bungalow open to Sabarmati breezes or somwhere in a bovel in one of the dirtiest of the city "poolas", is drinking at the same fountain. He is feeling that he is doing his duty when he helps the campaign in one way or the other. The sense that they are helping the country's cause is fully depicted even on the faces of the peons working in the propaganda committee's offices that receive a further glow. The political leaders are vigorously conducting the Boycott campaign, of course, not without obstruction from the local officialdom. The Collector thought of nipping the campaign in the bud by refusing to sell copies of electoral rolls for the city and district of Ahmedabad. The rolls were sold and delivered to Gujerat Rajkiya Mandel for Rs. 39—14—0, and the names of the Mandal and the secretary were inprinted on them However came a demand from the Collector's office that they were required for corrections. The books were returned innocently and in good faith by the Mandal's clerk, who saw that he was duped when he met with an open refusal on demand for return. The Collector was approached, but he expressed regret and inability under the convenient excuse that there was a limited number of copies which ought to be reserved for candidates.. But the collector committed a great mistake if he thought that his action would put a stop to the campaign. A private gentleman was found out, who could lend the rolls only for a night. Fifty young men volunteered their services and the rolls were copied down and returned within a night. Every individual voter is to be approached by post as well as in person and his signature obtained for boycott of councils, and that too before 12th instant—the final day for nomination. This however requires an immense power of organisation that has never before been called forth. The whole district is to be stumped for the purpose. Not only that but Ahmedabad as the capital and centre of all Gujarat activities has to see that the other districts do keep pace with it. The Secretaries of Gujarat Rajkiya Mandal are busy touring round the districts of Gujarat and organising the local organisations. The Home Rule League is every evening holding a meeting in one or the other part of the city. Volunteers are daily coming forward placing their services at the disposal of the Mandal for the purpose. No Muhamadan has yet come forward to announce his candidature and there is no likelihood of any. Others who have stood up for the Non-Muhamedan seats, have but little chance of securing a fair number of votes. I think some of them await a plausible excuse to withdraw and this ought to be furnished them by deputations of people waiting on them to dissuade them from standing. The Municipal Councillors too have, most of them, made up their minds about the boycott of councils. A requisition signed by no less than eighteen members has been sent to the President requesting him to call a special meeting in order to consider the following resolution:—

"This board, being of opinion that in the interest of the people of this country the ReformedCouncil should be boycotted, requests the President and vice-President to resign from voting at the ensuing election for the Council of State wherein they are voters by the virtue of their position derived from this board.

National Education:—The student world too is greatly astir. There was no general movement but some two or three students led the way. This set them thinking. Then came two addresses of Mr, Gandhi and this settled many who wavered. It is really through the students, as Mr. Gandhi observed, that the liberties of a nation are won and lost. They are the persons who are not tied down to any particular mode of life by any unhealthy influences. Many interesting anecdotes have come to light that speak of their courage and self-sacrifice. Students in a school have informed the authorities that they should turn their schools into national ones or else they would leave. Some have promised, while one, the Model High School, has already announced withdrawal from the Government control. News comes of restlessness of the students in each and every school. They are too ready to contribute their quota. Gujerat College is not free. Two professors, Messrs. Godpole and Athvale have already resigned and 40 students have followed suit. Others await the formal consent of their guardians. The Principal, Dr. Meldrum, is in a fix and seems to be at his wit's end to meet the situation. Obedient to the Education Department circular, he toured round the classes and expressed his sympathies about the Punjab and Khilafat, wrongs. He said that General Dyer had received sufficient purishment in so much as he was laughed out by the whole world, while about Khilafat the British Government alone could not do anything. "They cannot go to war for Turkey." These are the explanations and arguments which can hardly satisfy anybody in the 20th century. I have said that the students are awaiting the formal consent of their guardians, but I know of cases where it is refused in spite of humble requests, and the students follow their conviction in face of breaking off all ties. I know the case of a young bright man who is the son of a rich parent. He was to proceed next cold season to England to prepare for the Bar. But this too he has sacrificed at the altar of the Mother. When such cases of self-sacrifice and devotion occur one need hardly despair that success is sure. All hail to Gujarat that is in the van in the struggle.

SHRI SIWAJI MEETING.

SCENES OF DISORDER.

MAHARAJA KOLHAPUR'S PRECIPITATE EXIT.

On Sunday last at Bhawanipur Dharamsala, Poona, a meeting was held under the auspices of Shri Sivaji Society, the Maharajah of Kolhapur presiding. The meeting was called for the purposes of explaining the objects of Sivaji Society. When the proceedings commenced Mr. V. R. Shinde suggested that the Maharaja would be the proper person to act as Jagat Guru in questions of religion. This seemed so extraordinary proposition, supported by Mr. Bhaskerao Jadev the Chief Magistrate in the State of Kolhapur, that it naturally provoked great opposition. Mr. Bole, having been given permission to speak for 2 minutes, said that he was not in favour of allowing anyone to act as Jagat Guru to his conscience of which each man should be his own arbiter. This provoked a terrific uproar—some shouting agreement and some dissent. Two or three thereupon rushed to the platform and pulled Mr. Bole down. This brought to Mr. Bole's help all his supporters and a free fight ensued. The Maharaja, apprehending a rough handling, thought discretion the better part of valour and precipitately disappeared from the scene. We are credibly informed that under the circumstances no vote of thanks was proposed to the chair.

AMNESTY IN FRENCH TERRITORIES IN INDIA.

STOPPAGE OF ALL PROSECUTIONS RELEASE OF CONVICTED PERSON

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

PONDICHERRY. Oct. 3.

In the course of law of amnesty, voted by the Chamber of Deputies and by the order of the Minister of Justice, the Acting Chief of the Judicial Department has decided to stop all prosecutions and proceedings committed before the local jurisdictions and to release all persons already sentenced or under trial.

LORD CHELMSFORD.

JUBBULPORE MUNICIPALITY NOT TO VOTE ADDRESS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

JUBBULPORE. Oct. 5.

Mr. Sheoprasad Shrivastava President Municipal Committee Jubbulpore, informs that there will be no address from the Municipality to Lord Chelmsford.

MARWARI CHAMBER'S REQUEST.

The Marwari Chamber of Commerce has wired to the Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs, the Viceroy, and the Governor of Bombay, praying for ending the postal and telegraphic strike which is causing so much loss to the community.

POSTAL NOTICE.

Mails for Lamu, Mombassa, Ibo, Chindi, Dar-es-Salaam, Zanzibar, Tanga, Quilimane, Mozambique, Beira and L. Marquis per s.s. Taroba will be closed at the General Post Office at 9 a.m. on Friday the 8th instant.

Correspondence for Natal, Cape Colony and other places in South Africa will also be forwarded by this steamer.

THE BANVARD COY. AT THE EMPIRE

The Banward Musical Company, the only one touring the Orient at the present, opened their season in Bombay last night at the Empire with "Plums for Picking". It is often asked why we don't have more musical companies in India. The explanation is to be got in one word, "Expense."

This drawback has had no fears for Mr. Banvard for the staging and frocks seen in his opening piece prove that he has been out for the best at any cost and right well has he succeeded. Novelty, wit and vivacity sum up the efforts of the able members of his combination. The piece went with a swing from start to finish and the various items were received with repeated applause from a very full house.

The Gas strike deters us from going into the details of the programme but for anyone in search of a really enjoyable entertainment a visit to the Empire is strongly recommended.

The piece will be repeated to-night and again on Thursday.

STRIKES IN BOMBAY.

(Continued from page 7.)

satisfactory arrangements have been made for delivery of telegrams.—Yours, etc.,

RANCHHODLAL S. MEHTA.
Princess Street,
3rd Floor, Kanani Bldg.

A PLEA FOR COMPROMISE.

To The Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—It looks as if both parties, the Government—I mean the Postal authorities—and the postmen, have decided to hold on for an indefinite time. If it were a matter concerned with the two parties only, the bystanders would have enjoyed it like anything. But that is not the case. Between the Government and the postmen the general public suffer most miserably. How many thousands of people are having sleepless nights and anxious days and how many business men are put to heavy losses we cannot exaggerate. Perhaps the authorities are not put to any inconvenience and they can afford to be obstinate and unbending. But it is doubtful whether the postmen could as well afford to be as the authorities are. Anyhow, it is essential that some settlement must be arrived at immediately. If the authorities are determined not to reconsider their decision, it will be very desirable to tell the strikers so point blank without any loss of time instead of keeping them in suspense. They will eke out their livelihood elsewhere and their places can be filled up by fresh recruitment. But if a compromise is possible it deserves a trial before the relations are broken off for good.

Comparing the revised scale of pay recently sanctioned with the old one, the demands put forward by the postmen will not seem justifiable to any reasonable mind. Perhaps, from the existing conditions their demands are right; but they are also immoderate. However, if the postmen are willing to promise not to take recourse to strike again, it will be a graceful act on the part of the authorities to meet the postmen halfway in their demands. I may be pardoned for suggesting the following for a compromise. To show the reasonableness of my suggestion, I am giving below the revised scale sanctioned by Government and the demand of the postmen.

	Revised scale sanctioned. by Government.			Demands of the postmen.		
	Pay. Rs.	Rent. Rs.	Extra. Rs.	Pay. Rs.	Rent. Rs.	Extra. Rs.
Postmen	27–1–45	7	..	35–2½–60	10	..
Reader	27–1–45	7	7–8	35–2½–60	12	10
Overseer	27–1–45	7	10	35–2½–60	14	20
Menials	20–1–27	7	..			

N.B.—In addition to this they demand the appointment of two sub-inspectors from among themselves on Rs. 90x14. (rent).

As against these two, I beg to suggest the following scale by way of compromise.

	Pay. Rs.	Rent. Rs.	Extra. Rs.
Postmen	30–1–55	10	..
Reader ,,	30–1–55	10	10
Overseer ,,	30–1–55	10	15

One thing more: the annual increament must take effect automatically on the expiry of one year's service. Denying any promotion for the first three years of service seems to be bad in principle. I am sure the postmen must be satisfied with the suggested scale. If the authorities agree to it, the postmen must accept. On the other hand if the postmen stick to their original demands they do not deserve, in the least the sympathy of the public. I hope that the authorities will be sympathetic to accept this suggestion and that the postmen will be wise not to go on strike again. Yours' etc.

N. V. SARMA.

Girgaon Sept. 28.

PLIGHT OF STUDENTS.

To The Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—I hope, you will give some space to the following few lines.

No one knows, how long the strike is going to continue. The deliberate indifference of the Postal authorities to the demands of the Postmen has thrown the student community especially into great difficulty. The students are solely dependent upon the regular payment which they receive from their guardians. How can they live in Bombay if they have no money? It is high time that the authorities should settle the matter very soon. Or, are they going to starve the mofussil students?—Yours, etc.

A. WILSONIAN.

WOES OF THE PUBLIC.

To The Editor of "The Chronicle."

Sir,—Will you allow me, through the medium of your highly esteemed paper, to state that the report published in the daily newspapers that the telegraphic and postal works are going on smoothly is misleading to the public. I may be allowed to state my own case here. I have received a letter from upcountry stating that a wire has been sent to my address regarding my business matters, and although over 6 days have passed, I have not received that wire, as yet. In connection with this wire, I was sent from pillar to post. At first I went to Khetwadi Telegraph Office. From there I was directed to Byculla Telegraph Office, and from there I was informed that I should go to the General Telegraph Office. There, too, I wasted a precious time of my busy day, and had to return to my work much disappointed.

Now, sir, a business telegram is a very important document, and what an enormous amount of loss we people would be put to, if such wires are missing. Besides, I have got my own code word, and my business office is at such a well-known place that no one could find trouble to get at it. When all the available precautions are being taken to satisfy the Fort and Hill folks, I should like to know why no effective steps are taken of the places outside the Fort. Are commercial offices only situated in the Fort, and not outside?

Would you be surprised to learn that a telegram from Jubbulpore was received by a friend of mine 5 days after regarding the death of his brother's son? Instances would be multiplied if you are willing to spare your coulmns and worry the Telegraph Master more about the same.—Yours, etc.

ERUCH D. ENGINEER.

To the Editor of "The Chronicle,"

Sir,—I hope you will kindly publish the following as illustrating the satisfactory way as the "Times of India" says in which the Postal arrangements are being carried out.

Every body is aware that no parcels are accepted in the local post offices now. I therefore sent my man to Thana to try my luck. I was lucky for the first two days as a few parcels were accepted there. But, yesterday, I had the ill-luck of all of my parcels being refused on the plea of want of bags and hands. This causes me a great inconvenience and pecuniary loss, as it must becausing to all the merchants here.

The sending of medicines from Bombay to upcountry is a very important thing—as it is a question of life and death-and you can imagine how dangerous it is to overlook the demands of the strikers and allow the strike to be continued.

Will the authorities concerned be good enough to publish the date on which they will begin to accept the parcels.—Yours, etc.

K. T. DONGRE.

Girgaum 30th Sept.

MORE TELEGRAPH CENTRES.

For the convenience of the residents in the Localities noted below three centres are opened rom 9 A. M. to 7 P. M. and 10 A. M. to 6 P. M. daily. The Public are invited to call at these centres to receive their Telegrams:—

Barbhai Moholla Post Office. Open from 9 A. M. to 7 P. M. Nagdevi Street, Nagdevi Cross Lane, Saharia Bazar, Parsi Galli, Agiari Lane, Dhanji Street, Barbhai Moholla, Mirza Street, Naravan Daru Street, Abdul Rehman Street, Bangadi Bazar, Machhi Bazar, Bhusari Moholla, Sarang Street, Koka Bazar, Bhaji Pala Lane, Cutlery Bazar, Rangari Moholla, Bhuj Moholla, Old Kazi Moholla, Halai Moholla, Memon Moholla, Chipiwara Chakla Street, Dawood Kazi Street, New Kasai Moholla, Kolsa Moholla, Nakhuda Moholla, Khalasi Chakla, Furniture Bazar, Kambekar Street, Old Bengali Pura.

Mumbadevi Post Office from 9 A. M. to 7 P. M. Motishaw's Chawl, Marwari Bazar, Satta Bazar, Sk. Memon Street, from Khara Kuwa to Kalbadevi Road, Chandi Bazar, Choksi Bazar, Javeri Bazar, Khara Kuwa, Moti Bazar, Shroff Bazar, Dagina Bazar, Dharma's Kanta, Kasara Chawl, Jadia Bazar, Mumbadevi Road, Tamba Kanta, Pydhonie, Bhuleshwar, Shamset Street, Chipichawl Bhoiwada.

Jumma Masjid Post Office. from 10 A. M. to 6 P. M. Mulji Jetha Market, Sutar Chawl, Princess Street, Lower Chawl, Bhaji Pala Street, Mangaldas Market, Crawford Market.

LOYAL BOY SCOUTS.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—Your correspondent, Mr. F. J. Davur, is endeavouring to justify the continuance of the co-operation of the Parsee boy-scouts with the postal authorities on the ground of the postal strike being a grave danger to the public. Will your dutiful correspondent, having so much regard for the public welfare, explain where he was with his energetic Scouts during the last Sweepers's strike, which was decidedly the gravest danger to the public unless he held a contrary opinion? In these days of hypocracy words are being used to convey meaning quite different from that they were originally intended to convey.—Yours, etc.

VIJAYASHAM.

SILK MERCHANTS' PROTEST.

The following Resolution has been passed by members of the Japanese and Shanghai Silk Merchants Association, Bombay:—

"The meeting of the members of the Japanese and Sanghai Silk Merchants Association held on 2nd October regrets to place on record the several troubles and material losses caused to the members owing to Telegraphic and Postal Peons Strike by which their business is dis-adjusted and day by day they are confronted with many sorts of inconvenience. They now think that their business has taken such an aspect that it will take long time to mend the matters and therefore request Government to interfere and settle the Strike Amicably immediately."

STRIKE IN MANSA.

We have received the following wire from the Mansa Mahajan dated Oct. 4:—

Since 30th Sept, a strike is on in Mansa (Mahikantha) owing to the Darbar's unbearable actions.

ALL-INDIA CONGRESS COMMITTEE.

MR. JAMNADAS RESIGNS.

The following letter dated October 5th, has been addressed by Mr. Jamnadas Dwarkadas to the President of the All-India Congress Committee:—

To, Pundit Motilal Nehru, President, All-India Congress Committee.

Dear Sir,—I beg to resign my membership of the All-India Congress Committee and wish to be permitted to state in a few lines my reasons for doing so.

I may say at the outset that I yield to none in my indignant condemnation of the crimes perpetrated by our rulers in matters of the Khilafat and the Punjab, as a protest against which the Non-Coooperation" movement was inaugurated. However, I am constrained to take this painful step, after mature consideration, because, being unable to approve of the decision taken by the majority at theSpecial Session of the Congress, I feel called upon as an honest and conscientious member, to server my connection with the Executive of the Congress. I cannot continue a member of the All-India Congress Committee without being false to the Provincial Congress Committee which elected me thereto. It is impossible for me to give any help to the Committee in carrying out the programme of "Non-Cooperation," for, if I did so, I would not be true to myself, and from my humble point of view to the interests of my country. I may say, without hesitation, that in my opinion it would be tantamount to participating in what I consider a crime on the country. To be silent or not to attend its meetings and yet to continue a member would be unfair to my constituents who would rather replace me by one likely to go wholeheartedly with the Congress programme. At the same time, it would be proper to remain on the Committee, attend its meetings and hinder the programme at every stage. Besides, believing as I do that the movement will either fizzle out and make the Congress ridiculous, or that if it is prolonged for some time, it will inevitably bring diaster to the country. I refuse to share any responsibility for it, directly or indirectly. I trust you will admit that my taking this step does not in any way preclude my belonging to the Congress so long as I believe in its creed and placing my opinions before it, if I am given a hearing with a view to wining over the delegates. I do not look upon this as a hopeless task. I believe that want of discrimination and enthusiasm for a highly respected and admittedly unique personality, have led them into the acceptance of "Non-Cooperation, but I feel sure that its, practice will prove to them the unwisdom of their step, and experience alone will bring about disillusionment which the words of old and trusted leaders have failed to achieve. My prayer to God is that this experience may not be gained at too great a cost to the country.

I remain, Sir,
Yours sincerely,
(Sd.) JAMNADAS DWARKADAS.

P.S.—As the subject matter of this letter is of public interest, I take leave to communicate it to the Press.

(Sd.) J. D.

KHILAFAT DELEGATION

ACCOUNT OF WORK IN EUROPE.

SERIOUS DIFFICULTIES OF THE MISSION.

To welcome Mr. Mohomed Ali and his colleagues on the Indian Khilafat delegation who arrived in Bombay on Monday, a public meeting was held that night at the Mastan Shah's Tank. Mr. M. K. Gandhi was voted to the chair in the absence of Mr. Chhotani who was indisposed. There was a large audience of Hindus and Mahomedans, numbering about 15,000.

Prominent among those present were Messrs. Marmaduke Pickthal Shaukat Ali, S. G. Banker, Ahmed Haji Siddick Khatri, V. J. Jarajani, Abbas Tyabji, Syed Gulam Mahomed Refai, Khan Bahadur Mahomed Ali Abdul Kader, Shrimati Savala Devi Chandhurani and Mrs. Anusuyabai Sarabai and many others.

MR. GANDHI'S TRIBUTE.

The proceedings began with the recitation of a hymn from the Luaran. Afterwards the Chairman, addressing the audience, said that he was sorry Mr. Chhotani could not take part in the meeting but he hoped Mr. Chhotani would soon get better and begin the work of the Khilafat Committee in the same right earnest as before. Continuing he said that that was a very happy day for him and them all as their brother Mahomed Ali and his colleagues, after arduous work in connection with the Khilafat question, returned to their Motherland safe and sound.

He could not express what affection he harboured towards Mr. Mahomed Ali. Since he had met the Ali brothers in Delhi in the year 1915 and later in Alighar, he was much impressed, and thought that one day the two brothers would be among the Mahomedans what Mr. Gokhale was among the Hindus, and he was glad that what he had then surmised, has come true now.

Mr. Gandhi then requested Mr. Mahomed Ali to lay, before the audience, the account of his work in Europe, in connection with the Khilafat question.

MR. MAHOMED ALI'S REPLY.

Mr. Mahomed Ali, who was given a deafening ovation when he rose, said that it was after eight months that he met his brethren of the same faith and his countrymen, the absence of whose association he felt more and more the farther he went. He regretted not finding Mr. Chhotani present there but he hoped Mr. Chhotani would soon get better and shoulder the Khilafat work as vigorously as before.

He then referred to the lamentable demise of Lokmanya Tilak whose death, he said, was an irreparable loss to the country, specially at this juncure. The lessons Mr. Tilak had been teaching for 40 years were now to be revised by the nation. Mr. Tilak taught his countrymen to think independently to talk fearlessly and to avoid those who adopted flattery as their avocation.

IGNORANCE OF BRITISH CABINET.

Continuing Mr. Mahomed Ali said the Indian Khilafat deputation, went to Europe to represent the feelings of the Indian Mahomedans at the unjust Turkish Peace Treaty. Before the Deputation reached England the British Cabinet—what to speak of the masses!—knew nohing about the grievances of the Indian Mahomedans and their Hindu brethren. The only information they used to get about India, was about some murders of Indians by Europeans or of some Europeans by Indians. The London "Times" the "Daily Telegraph" and such other reactionery journals were publishing, in their columns, all that was happening in any corner of the world except the sufferings and grievances of the Muslims and Indians. He knew what was the condition in Thrace and Smyrna, though they in India were debarred from knowing it on account of the censorship.

HIJRAT OR JEHAD.

His deputation represented the Moslem cause before the European public in as best a way as was possible for them. They were very often questioned if Smyrana and Thrace were returned to the Turks, would the Mahomedans be content and the agitation be stopped? But their emphatic reply was "either Hijrat or Jehad." They did not leave a single point unrepresented and even Mr. Lloyd George said that the Deputation had done their best to adequately convince Europe as to what the Indian Mahomedans wanted. The Deputation clearly explained to the European natinns the Indians did not want to knock out anything by threat. They were even ready to live like slaves if it were ordained by God.

Proceeding, Mr. Mahomed Ali said his Deputation explained in clear terms that the Mahomedan cared for the Khilafat as much as a woman cared for her honour. They also explained that even the entire Hindu community were deeply sympathising with their cause, because it was a just one. The Deputation had plainly told Mr. Montagu that if Britons wanted to crush the Turks inspite of their responsible pledges they would experience only unrest and consternation instead of a peaceful reconstruction of the world after the war. Of course, they (Indian Mahomedans) did not want violence. Their very Jehad question meant non-violence.

Mr. Mahomed Ali then, with tears in his eyes narrated an incident that before he met with in Rome where he met six Thraseian Moslems in terrible distress who asked him as to what the seven crores of Indian Mahomedans were doing for them. This drew tears from many eyes in the audience.

HOSTILE ATTITUDE OF BRITISH PRESS.

In conclusion Mr. Mahomed Ali explained how the mean partial, and unjust attitude of the English press mained their activities. He said the Press refused even to accept advertisements on payment from the Deputation, while, on contrary, they were filling their columns with the details of the activities of their enimies.

His speech ended with an appeal for the preservation and development of the Hindu-Moslem entente.

Mr. Mahomed Ali was folllowed by Maulana Suleman Saheb Nadvi, Mr. Abul Kasem and Maulvi Abdul Majid whose speeches were heard by the audience with keen interest and deep silence.

The proceedings terminated with a vote of thanks to the chair, proposed by Mr. Shaukat Ali.

ARBITRATION OF A HINDU-MOSLEM CASE.

Before the audience dispersed Mr. Shaukat Ali announced that a Hindu solicitor addressed a letter to Mr. Gandhi stating that a Hindu merchant had sued the Moslem Trading Company and the case had been decided out of the court by some arbitrators, with whose judgment both parties were extremely satisfied and as a mark of their satisfaction each party sent a cheque for Rs. 2,500 to Mr. Gandhi asking him to use the sum either in the cow protection movement or to transfer it to the Khilafat Fund.

LATEST CABLES.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 4.
Recd. 1-15 a.m., Oct. 6.

The text is issued of the miners' ballot form. Men are asked to vote either for or against the mineowners' offer, namely shifting of the datum line to 240 million tons for one shilling increase per day in wages, 244 million tons for eighteen-pence and 248 millions for two shillings.

Constantinople.—The British, French and Italian delegates on the Board, of Administration of the Ottoman Public Debt will assume control of Turkey's finances from to-morrow.

Up to the present, there has been no confirmation in London of the Warsaw report of the Polish-Lithuanian armistice. On the contrary, according as to the latest Lithuanian information, severe fighting was going on on Saturday, with heavy casualties on both sides. Neither had the Lithuanian Government accepted the suggested Polish demarcation line, which it considers unjustifiable.

Lord Ilsig, addressing representative Glaswegians, appealed for support for ex-service men by providing work for the able-bodieds and money for the disableds. He referred to the formation of the Officers' Association, but added that it was his aim to see a great united Empire Organisation. He was attending conferences at Leicester in November for that purpose, and was visiting Cape in Spring.

WILSON'S ELECTION CAMPAIGN APPEAL.

URGES ELECTORS TO ENDORSE LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 4.
Recd. 12-45 p.m., Oct. 5.

WASHINGTON.—President Wilson's first election campaign appeal direct to the people urges the electors to endorse the League of Nations. The appeal declares that the whole world awaits the verdict of America in November. The assertion that Article Ten of the Covenant would enable other nations to lead the United States into war is absolutely false. The Covenant in no way impairs the right of Congress to declare or not to declare war according to it's own Independent judgment.

FRANCO-GERMAN ECONOMIC RELATIONS.

GERMAN AMBASSADOR VISITS FRENCH PREMIER.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 3.
Recd. 5-10 p.m. Oct. 5.

Paris.—Doctor Mayer, the German Ambassador, yesterday paid the first official visit to M. Leygues. He emphasised the intention of Germany to carry out the Treaty of Versailles to the extreme limit of her possibilities.

M. Leygues replying declared that the French Government, if convinced of Germany's good faith would do the utmost to facilitate Germany's task and thus the resumption of Franco-German economic relations would be greatly facilitated. The interview, which was characterised by sincerity on both sides, appears to be of good augury for the future.

"SOUTH AFRICAN PARTY."

GENERAL SMUTS' MANIFESTO WELCOMED BY UNIONISTS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 3.
Recd. 9-30 a.m., Oct. 5.

Capetown.—Prominent members of the Unionist Party welcome General Smuts' manifesto and express the opinion that a new Moderate Party will be formed named, South African Party, was a compliment to the members of the Government.

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HINDU-MOSLEM SUIT SETTLED.

Mr. Gandhi sends us the following correspondence for publication :—

Eldon Road,
Bombay, 26th Sept., 1920.

To,
M. K. Gandhi, Esq.
Re. Muslim Trading Co.
vs.
Sodrimsayan.

Dear Sir,

The parties to the above suit settled the same out of Court. One of the terms of the settlement was that a sum of Rs. 5,000 should be applied towards the following objects :—

(1) Rs. 2,500 should be paid to you on behalf of the defendants who are a Hindu firm, for being applied in furtherance of the Khilafat agitation as you may think proper.

(2) The other Rs. 2,500 should be paid on behalf of the plaintiffs who are a Mahomedan firm, to the Committee recently formed for protection of cows.

As representing the defendants we beg to send you herewith our cheque for Rs. 2,500.

We will be obliged if you will be good enough to send us your receipt for the same at your convenience as we have to show the same to the plaintiffs to satisfy them that the amount has been received by you.

Yours truly,
(Sd.) Madhavji Kamdar and Chhotubhai,
Defendants' Attorneys.

ARBITRATION COURT IN DELHI.

SCHEME IN PREPARATION.

(Associated Press.)

DELHI, Oct. 4.

The scheme of an arbitration court is being completed and expected to be put in operation shortly in Delhi by local leaders. The quasi-panchayat or national arbitration court is subdivided into following five sections are being constituted :—(1) Sadar Adalat (district arbitration court) with original and appellate powers above Rs. 5,000. (2) Adalat Kusat (sub arbitration court) with original powers below Rs. 5,000. (3) Adalat Khanfa (small causes arbitration court) with original powers up to Rs. 2,000, in small causes of current description. (4) Adalat Faujdari (criminal arbitration courts) with powers to hear and decide all compoundable cases. (5) Adalat Mutfariqat (miscellaneous arbitration court) with power to hear miscellaneous private or national causes. All arbitration will be based on evidence, religious oath, counsel, and petition writers will be granted sanads by Adalat Sadar on payment of Rs. 50 and five respectively and will then be entitled to usual privileges.

GRADUATE RENOUNCES SCHOLARSHIP

Mr. J. B. Bhansali has sent the followin letter to the Registrar, Bombay University :—

I regret to say that I cannot any longer continue as a student of Society of the Bombay University, nor take the monthly scholarship of Rs. 50, as I believe firmly in the non-cooperation movement in the country. I believe there are some arrears of my scholarship, which in the event of this letter, I cannot accept.

TWO RAI BAHADURS RENOUNCE TITLES.

Pundit Beshandutt Shukul, Rais and Taluquedar of Sehore, and Seth Jamnalalji Bajaj, Rais and Merchant of Wardha, have renounced their titles of Rai Bahadurships and returned the Sanad and the badge to the Government as a protest against the grave injustice done to the Punjabis and the unsatisfactory solution of the Khilafat problem.

NON-CO-OPERATION IN NADIAD.

TWO PLEADERS SUSPEND PRACTICE.

(From a Correspondent.)

Mahatma Gandhi, with Mrs. Gandhi, Mr. Vallabhbhai Patel and Miss Peterson arrived at Nadiad on 30th September by the afternoon train from Ahmedabad. An informal meeting of prominent citizens including pleaders and propritors of private High Schools was held at the Hindoo Orphanage to discuss with him the various points arising out of the boycott of Courts and Schools and the establishment of arbitration courts and national schools. Even one or two disputes were settled in the presence of the Mahatma.

A large number of people from villages in the Kaira District flocked to hear the message which the Mahatma had to give. At eight in the evening an unusually large numbers of people, say about of 15,000 assembled outside the City Gate. Mr. Vallabhbhai Patel was voted to the chair and he spoke for some time about the present situation. Mr. Gandhi with a clear voice he spoke for about threefourths of an hour explaining why the nation had adopted the non-co-operation programme.

SUSPENSION OG LEGAL PRACTICE.

At the end of the meeting two local pleaders Messrs. Gokuldas Talati and Karnic announced suspension of their legal practice amidst cheers. The meeting terminated at about 10 p.m.

The people of Nadiad have already opened a school or two. On the 1st October, a meeting of rate payers was held and a requisition was signed by some people and sent to the president of the Nadiad Municipality to convene a meeting of the Municipal Board to consider the proposal to dispense with the education Grant of Rs. 20,000 given by Government. Similarly proprietors of both the state aided High Schools of Nadiad are considering the proposal to do away with the Government Grant. An Education committee have been formed to carry out all these proposals to set up national schools and thus set free the boys and girls from Government Schools.

CURIOUS ORDERR.

The head master of the Government High School has fined those boys who attended the lecture of Mahatma Gandhi.

MEHMADABAD MEETING.

A largely attended meeting of the inhabitants of the Mehmadabad Taluka was held on 1st October 1920 and passed a resolution to request nor Maganbhai Chabirbhai to drop his candidature for the Council.

The work of taking signatures of voters for not voting for any candidate is going on apace.

AT NADIAD.

Nadiad, October 3.

A crowded meeting of the inhabitants and voters of Kaksrakhad Pati of Nadiad was held on Saturday last, when Mr. Maganbhai Chaturbha Patel was present to advocate his candidature for the Indian Legislative Assembly and the Bombay Council.

It was unanimously resolved to express resentment at Mr. Patel's candidature, to request him to withdraw from this activity, which is a slur on the fair name of Nadiad and the Kaira District and to appoint a committee to take necessary steps in the matter, if he does not withdraw within 4 days.

Several speakers spoke on the resolution including Mr. Maganbhai who spoke twice during the proceedings and left the meeting before the resolution was put to.

Ten members of the Nadiad Municipality have sent a requisition to the President to convene a meeting to consider a resolution recommending the Municipality to cease receiving the educational grant from Government.

IN PANCH MAHALS.

From our own correspondent).

Gedhra, Sept. 28th.

A crowded meeting of the citizens of Godhra was held yesterday night under the presidentship of Mr. Waman Sitaram Mukadam when Mr. J. K. Yajnik spoke on the Congress resolution on non-co-operation. At the outset he dwelt on the gravity of the Khilafat and Punjab questions which had compelled us to reverse the general policy of co-operation which ordinarily governed the relations between the rulers and the ruled. Though Government knew for some time past how their policy on both these questions had provoked all India and had brought the campaign of non-co-operation in the areas of practical politics, they were a busy adding dark colours every day to their misdeeds. Punjab officers guilty of inhuman crimes have been practically let off and a paltry sum spent for relieving a few victims of the Jalianwalla Bag. Hundreds of Arabs were being ruthlessly persecuted in their own home for no other fault than that they refuse to bend their heads to a foreign yoke. The Congress has also backed on the attainment of full self-government to the programme of non-co-operation.

The speaker then dwelt on each of the four mandates of the Congress. Now that the Bengal and Deccan Nationalists had decided to boycott the Councils he thought that success on that point was practically assured. He however requested the people of Godhra to thoroughly organise themselves for taking every voter's signature on the boycott forms from all the villages of the district. He then passed to the more difficult programe of the boycott schools and courts. He asked if it was possible for any Indian with an iota of self-respect to seek education for his children or the fulfilment of his rights from a Government which had soiled its hands with the blood of Punjab and violence to the Khilafat? He then advised all parents to set their children free from the slavery of the jail-like schools from which they cast wistful eyes ou the broad sunlit paths of patriotic efforts. Let our dear little ones be emancipated from the obsession of western ideals which have like a devastating whirlwind shaken the whole fabric of national idealism, national hope and faith. Similarly boycott of courts was at once necessitated by the present policy of Government as by the compelling duty of conserving our moral and material wealth. He appealed to lawyers to free their minds from the emasculating traditions of their profession and to join the battle of freedom so well inaugurated by the Congress. The struggle will undoubledlyentail sacrifice on the fighters, who should be prepared to lay their all at the feet of the motherland.

"OUR DUTY AT PRESENT."

MR. SHAUKAT ALI AT SURAT.

(From our own Correspondent).

Mr. Shaukat Ali arrived here yesterday morning and was given a warm reception by the leaders of the Non-co-operation movement. In the afternoon Mr. Shaukat Ali visited Rander. Returning from Rander he addressed a public meeting on Tilat ground at seven in the evening. He said it was a second time he visited Surat during the last few months.

Coming to the subject of the day "Our Duty at Present" the lecturer referred to the Non-co-operation Resolution adopted by the Congress and the Muslim League, and requested the audience to act according to the mandate of these two national bodies.

In conclusion he appealzd to the audience to renounce titles, boycott councils and start national schools.

NON-COOPERATION AND BOY SCOUTS.

U. P. PROVINCIAL COMMISSIONER'S RULING.

The Provincial Commissioner, Boy Scouts of Agra and Oudh, in his opening address to the Scoutmaster's Training Course at Agra on Monday, referred to the Non-Cooperation movement and said the desire for responsible Government within the Empire might be perfectly consistent with absolute loyalty to the King-Emperor, but any one who supported or was not opposed to the Non-Coopreation movement is obviously disloyal to the King-Emperor for he is endeavouring to embarass His Majesty's representatives and refusing to obey his request to endeavour to settle differences and forget disagreements of the past in the dawn of New Era. Any gentleman, therefore, who supported the movement would be expected to withdraw from the training course.

It is understood that no one withdrew.

NON-COOPERATION PROPOGANDA IN SINDH.

From our Correspondent.

The Indian Home Rule League Hyderabad branch, have appointed a committee to carry on propaganda for council boycott. The Hyderabad branch of the All-India Home Rule League in accordance with Mr. Gandhi's letter has also taken up the question of council boycott and appointing its own boycott committee to work in collaboration with the committee of the Indian Home Rule League.

SPORTING NEWS.

TO-DAY'S POONA RACES.

EIGHTH EXTRA MEETING.

HORSES ENTERED,

(From our Racing Correspondent)

THE CURZON PLATE.—Distance 6 furlongs.

Winner, Rs. 3,600; second, Rs. 1,800; third, Rs. 600.

A High Weight Handicap for Horses in the 2nd Division.

On Leave 9-0; Crushed Glass 8-13; Forfeit Lass 8-9; Dori 8-8; Masboot 8-1; Johnie H. 7-13; Anthracite 7-12; Gladiator 7-12; Atrocity 7-9; Pine Park 7-8; Mist 7-7; Viola 7-3.

THE SALISBURY PLATE. (Division I.)—About 7 furlongs.

Winner, Rs. 1,500; second, Rs. 500; third Rs. 300.

A High Weight Handicap for Horses in the 3rd Division.

Discussion 9-0; Claim A. 8-12; Lucky Queen 8-10; Winnie B. 8-10; Peach Melba 7-9.

The Long Distance Optional Selling Race.—Distance 1½ miles.

Winner, Rs. 8,000; second, Rs. 1,000; third, Rs. 500.

For Horses in the 2nd and 3rd Division.

Genevieve 8-13; Royal Ambition 8-10; Gavrell 8-7; Matchlock 8-7; Babugarh 6-10.

THE TRAVELLER'S STAKES.—Dis. 1 mile.

Winner Rs. 4,000; second Rs. 1,250; third Rs. 750.

For Horses 3 years old and upwards that landed in this country on, or subsequent to, 1st January, 1920:

Horses in 1st Division, 10 lbs. extra.

Laodicea 9-0; Sugarey Sam 8-11; Mossley 8-3; Dialect 7-6; Lively 7-5.

THE SALISBURY PLATE. (Div. II.)—Dis. 7 furlongs.

Winner, Rs. 1,500; second, Rs. 500; third, Rs. 300.

A High Weight Handicap for Horses in the 3rd Division.

Belle Voyageuse II. 9-5; Japanese Pine 8-13; Checkmate 8-8; Birthday Clothes 8-4; Gold Reef 8-4; Substance 7-5; Another Night 7-3; Lively 7-3.

THE HOLKAR PLATE. Div. I.—About 7 furlongs.

Winner, Rs. 1,000; second, Rs. 300; third, Rs. 200.

For Arabs in the 3rd Division.

Here 8-11; Samnayet 8-10; Last Day 8-10; Tired Tim 8-8; Karam 8-8; Buttonwood 8-8; Orphan 8-8; Lamington 8-6; Bismark 8-6; Mystic 8-4; Dilawar 8-3; Good Star 8-2; Bakhmari 8-2; Khailan 8-0; The General 7-12; Gazee 7-10; Creditor 7-6.

THE HOLKAR PLATE. (Div. II.).—About 7 furlongs.

Winner, Rs. 1,000; second, Rs. 300; third, Rs. 200.

For Arabs in the 3rd Division.

Joker 9-0; Compliment 8-12; Kherallah 8-8; Fox Trot 8-8; Gay Peter 8-6; Second String 8-6; Yadghar 8-6; Municipal 8-4; My Royal 8-4; Companion 8-4; Sirtib 8-2; Arthur 8-0; Trade Mark 7-13; Shah 7-12; Latiff 7-12; Weabil 7-7.

THE HOLKAR PLATE. (Div. III).—About 7 furlongs.

Winner, Rs. 1,000; second, Rs. 300; third, Rs. 200.

For Arabs in the 3rd Division.

Socotra 9-0; Kitchener 9-0; Doncaster 8-12; Bahadorjung 8-12; Ayr Laddie 8-12; Aligarh 8-10; Gallatin 8-8; Dholpors 8-2; Black Pasha 8-2; Ayala 8-0; Royalty 7-12; Reeman 7-10; Burrack 7-10; Mage 7-10; Dharawell 7-10; Sharaban 7-6.

The above is an Extraordinary meeting, for charity, in aid of Childrens' Welfare Scheme, and there will be no admittence to the Enclosure except on payment.

The "Times of Ceylon's" London correspondent cables that the Directors of the General Ceylon Rubber and Tea Estates, Ltd., owing to the serious fall of the price of tea and the generally uncertain outlook of tea and rubber markets, consider it advisable not to pay an interim dividend.

BARRACKPORE RACES.

AUTUMN MEETING; FIRST DAY.

(From Our Correspondent.)

CALCUTTA, Oct. 2.

The Barrackpore Autumn Meeting opened to-day under adverse weather conditions, but that did not deter a large body of sportsmen from attending the day's sport. The Executive presented a long card of seven events, in the majority of which the winners won easily. Only in one, the Molecombe Plate, was there a sensational finish.

Details:—

THE MYSORE PLATE.—Distance 6 furlongs.

Mr. Cunningham's MUNGAR, 9-12, Young 1
Mr Evan's JIPSY'S PRIDE, 7-7, Thompson 2
Mr Fergusson's MANDIR, 8-7, Hamilton ... 3

Totes paid:—Win Rs. 18; Places Rs. 12 and Rs. 17.

THE KHARDAH PLATE. Division II.—Distance 5 furlongs.

The Nawab Bahadur of Murshidabad's WATER LILY, 8-3, Smith 1
Mr Galstaun's DARABAG, 9-10, Marland ...
Mr Mullik's REBECCA, 8-7, Pullin .....

Totes paid:—Win Rs. 60; Places Rs. 15, Rs. 14 and Rs. 20.

THE ROSARY PLATE.—Distance 5 furlongs.

Mr Tarrant's NORTIA, 8-10, Higgins .....
Mrs Connor's SINUFEINER, 9-6, Pullin ...
The Hon Mr Allaf Ali's LOWER SCHOOL, 7-7 (cd 7-11), Thompson .....

Totes paid:—Win Rs. 22; Places Rs. 13, Rs. 21 and Rs. 16.

THE KHARDAH PLATE. Division I.—Distance 5 furlongs.

Mr Ghose's URMILLA, 8-7, Young 1
Mr Meerza's BROOK, 9-10, Marland .....
Mr Harti's CLEMATIS, 9-10, White .....

Totes paid:—Win Rs. 45; Places Rs. 18 and Rs. 16.

THE MOLECOMBE PLATE.—Dictance furlongs.

Mr Colah's CONTENT, 8-13, Higgins .....
Mr Duree's MERCURY, 9-3, Walker .....
Mr Hughes' FEARLESS CHILD, 9-3, Dobie

Totes paid:—Win Rs. 40; Places Rs. 17, Rs 15 and Rs. 33.

THE CHARNOCK PLATE.—Distance 7 furlongs.

Mr. Dee's SUNNY TIME, 8-4, Harrison ...
Mr Fleming's ZELIA, 7-11, Dobie .....
Mr Husain's GRACE FIELD, 8-7, Pullin ...

Totes paid:—Win Rs. 52; Places Rs. 14, Rs. 13 and Rs. 17.

THE HOWRAH PLATE.—Distance 4 furlongs.

Mr Radmore's SIR IVA, 12-0, Mr. Bell .....
Mr Mesmernah's TOUCHWOOD, 10-0, Mr Campbell 2
Messrs Luke and Bayley's RUSSET, 12-0, Mr Cummings 3

Totes paid:—Win Rs. 21; Places Rs. 11 and Rs. 11.

AJMER LAWYER GIVES UP PRACTICE.

In pursuance of the Congress resolution, M Chand Karan Sarda, Ajmer, has suspended his legal practice.

In the Kheri murder trial on Saturday last counsel for Mansook Ali, third accused contended that common intention had not been proved and pointed out, if any person committed an offence under threat, he was not responsible for that offence. The Assessors found the accused guilty. Judgment was reserved.

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PROGRAMME OF TOUR

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
LAHORE, Oct. 3

The London correspondent of the "Pandemataenia" writes on September 20:—Col and Mrs. Wedgwood sailed for India and will reach Bombay by 20th October and will proceed to Lahore and Amritsar direct from Bombay. After visiting Delhi, Allahabad, Bankipur and Calcutta they will proceed to Nagpur to attend the Congress. Col. Wedgwood also intends visiting Ceylon, being invited by the Ceylon Congress.

ANTI-HOOKWORM CAMPAIGN IN S. INDIA.

DR. G. PAUL'S ADVICE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
BANGALORE, Oct. 3.

In connection with the anti-hookworm campaign in South India, in reply to enquiries made to Surgeon-General Giffard by planters at the last annual meeting of the United Planters' Association, Dr. George Paul, who is employed in research work, writes:—

Coolies treated in a depot before entering estates may be given three treatments with thymol at six days' intervals or a total stay of two weeks. They could be given two treatments in seven days and remaining treatment given at the estate.

Complete destruction of all oval larvae in soil for a quarter mile or more round the coolie lines or injected areas cannot be said to be feasible. The real practical solution is cessation of soil pollution, construction of proper and sufficient latrines, their enforced use by coolies for the period of a year before institution of a curative campaign.

NAGPUR CONGRESS.

There will be a meeting of the members of the Reception Committee on Sunday, the 10th October, 1920, at 3 p.m., in the Town Hall, Nagpur City. The following is the agenda :—

(1) Election of the Chairman and other office-bearers of the Reception Committee.
(2) Election of the President of the 35th Indian National Congress.
(3) Such other subjects as the Chairman of the meeting would allow.

All members are earnestly requested to attend.

INDIAN NEWS IN BRIEF

Mr. O'Brien, District Traffic Superintendent of the East Indian Railway at Gaya, was found dead with a gun-shot wound on Thursday morning at 4 o'clock in the bungalow of the Railway Engineer. It is believed that he committed suicide on some private domestic affairs.

The members of the Traffic Committee appointed to meet at Simla, are Mr. Ismay, General Traffic Manager of the B. N. Railway, Mr. E. E. Purell, Rates and Industiral Superintendent, E. I. Railway, Mr. Aeres of the S. I. Railway, Mr. Wathen of M. and S. M. Railway, Mr. Robinson of the B. B. and C. I. Railway, Mr. Alexander of the G. I. P. and Mr. Boulth of the N.-W. Railway. It is understood that the sitting will be for a week.

In view of the depressed state of local industries the question of establishment of a State Bank is being energetically reviewed in Colombo. The Government announcement on the subject is expected shortly.

The C. P. Provincial Congress Committee at last Sunday's meeting recommended the name of Mr. C. Vijayaraghavachariar for presidentship of the Nagpur Congress by an overwhelming majority.

The Committee of the Calcutta branch of the European Association has recommended the following names of candidates for the three seats on the Bengal Council allotted to the general European population:—The Rev. Herbert Anderson, Mr. Malcolm Crawford, Manager, Midnapore Zemindari concern and Mr. A. J. Pugh, Chairman of the European Association, Calcutta Branch.

At a meeting of the Bengal Presidency Moslem League, it was decided to appoint a Committee to consider in consultation with Bengal Provincial Congress Committee as to how to give effect to the Non-Cooperation resolution adopted by the All-India Moslem League.

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INDIAN REPATRIATION.

DURBAN INDIANS DISAPPROVE SCHEME.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS)
CALCUTTA, Oct. 4.

The following telegram has been received from Pandit Bhawani Dayal, Durban, South Africa:—

"Indians meeting held at Kooikopjes disapproved Viceroy's speech delivered 28th August regarding Indian repatriation and further condemned action of Sir Benjamin Robertson in suggesting or approving that scheme."

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CALCUTTA MARWARIS' PROTEST.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
CALCUTTA, Oct. 4.

The Calcutta Marwadi Trades Association in a meeting protests against the release of lakhs of tons of wheat before 31st March, next.

A Non-cooperation Committee is being formed in Lahore, with Mr. Lajpat Rai as President and Dr. Kitchlew as Secretary to give effect to the Non-Cooperation resolution of the Congress.

The Hon. Mr. C. Y. Chintamani contradicts the report in the "Democrat" that he has been offered membership of the India Council.

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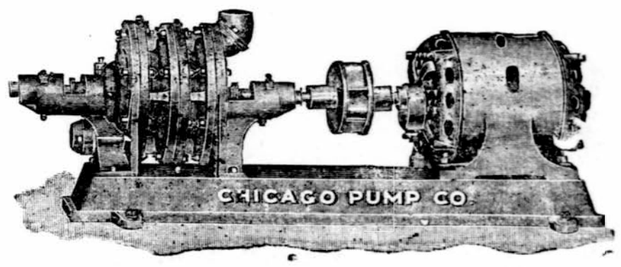

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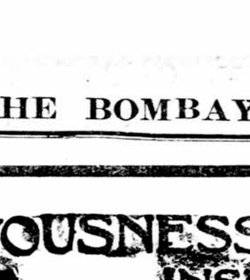

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